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Bolo, Arrested in France, Mentioned in Jagow To Bernstorff Cable

BRIBES FOR PEACE

Offered G.$1,700,000 For 'Political Action In An Enemy Country'

PRESS IS GAGGED

Kept Muzzled over French Political Changes; Didn't 'Want Things Spoiled'

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Washington, October 6.—Documentary proof of the activities of Bolo, a French journalist who is at present under arrest in Paris, for accepting German money for peace propaganda in France, and the machinations of German diplomacy are furnished by the cables which passed between Count Bernstorff, the German Ambassador at Washington and von Jagow, then German Minister of Foreign Affairs, in February, March and May, 1916 and now published by the State Department. On February 26, 1916, Count Bernstorff cabled to von Jagow that he had received trustworthy information "concerning political action in one of the enemy countries which would bring about peace."

$1,700,000 Peace Bribe

He added that one of the leading political personalities of the country [illegible] was seeking a loan of G.$1,700,000 in New York, for which security would be given. He was forbidden to give the name, but the affair was one of the highest importance and he asked that the money should be cabled immediately.

On February 29, 1916, von Jagow replied: "Agree to loan, but only if peace action seems to you to be a really serious project, the provision of money in New York being at present extraordinarily difficult for us. If the enemy country is Russia, have nothing to do with the business, as the sum is too small to have serious effect there. The same applies to Italy, where it is not worth while to spend so much."

On March 3, 1916, Count Bernstorff cabled von Jagow to instruct the Deutsche Bank to hold nine million Marks at the disposal of the representative of the Deutsche Bank in New York.

Mysterious Emissary

On March 20, 1916, Count Bernstorff cabled von Jagow to advise the German Minister in Berne that someone desiring to establish relations with the German Foreign Office would call, giving the passwords: "Sancti Regis." Count Bernstorff added: "The intermediary further requests that influence shall be put on our press to pass in silence the change in the political situation in France, so that things may not be spoiled by German approval."

On May 31, 1916, von Jagow wired to Count Bernstorff: "The person announced in your telegram of March 20 has not yet reported in Berne. Is there any more news of Bolo on your side?"

Germans Fear Sea Flank At Nieuport Is Menaced; Bombardment Increasing

Haig Keeps Guns Busy All Along Line; Parries Counter-Attacks; Makes Many Successful Raids

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Amsterdam, October 5.—The German expert, General Ardenne, writing in the Dusseldorf Anzeiger, on the subject of the British offensive, says: "Serious events also seem to be in preparation at Nieuport. The increasing bombardment of the German flank on the sea gives food for serious thought."

London, October 7.—Field-Marshal Sir Douglas Haig reported yesterday afternoon: The enemy's artillery has been more active, but there has been no infantry action attempted. We drove off an attempted raid, southward of Hollebeke.

Welsh troops carried out a successful raid, north-eastward of Gouzeaucourt, bombing dugouts and inflicting casualties on the enemy.

Guns Active Everywhere

Sir Douglas Haig reported in the evening:—Our artillery has been active the whole day long along the whole battle-front. The enemy shelled our new positions on the Ridge, from Broodseinde southwards, but made no counter-attack. We have taken an additional 370 prisoners.

Our aircraft attacked the aerodromes in the Lille area and the railway-stations at Westroosebeke, Iseghem and Courtrai. Two tons of explosives were dropped.

The enemy's aircraft were active. We brought down four and drove down three enemy machines. Five of ours are missing.

Sir Douglas Haig reported today: There has been considerable artillery work along the battle-front, the whole night long. We carried out a successful raid, south-east of Broodseinde, inflicting casualties on the enemy and took 20 prisoners.

We repulsed a raid attempted by the enemy, southward of the Ypres to Comines Canal. The Leicestershires made a successful raid westward of Cite St. Elie. The weather is showery and colder.

Weather Is Stormy

Sir Douglas Haig reported this evening: The weather has been stormy, with heavy rain the whole day long. An attempted advance by the enemy, southward of Reutel, was broken by our fire. At dusk this evening, the enemy put down a heavy barrage behind the greater part of our front between Broodseinde and Hollebeke, but no infantry action followed.

Our aviators, despite unfavorable weather, yesterday dropped 1½ tons of bombs on enemy targets, including a railway-station. Our fighting aeroplanes went out whenever possible. One failed to return. One of our bombing machines which went out on Thursday night is missing.

Reuter's correspondent at British headquarters, wiring last night, reports:—The infantry have been inactive during the past 24 hours. We are steadily consolidating our gains. Most of the prisoners we have taken during the German counter-attacks are good types of men, equipped with brand-new gear, suggesting that General von Arnim employed his best troops.

Disorganisation Evident

Reuter's correspondent wired today: Since Friday there have been no counter-attacks and our troops are steadily consolidating and improving their new positions. This abandonment of their traditional counter-attacks is evidence of the serious disorganisation of the enemy, which is confirmed by a continuous and extensive movement of troops behind the German lines, indicating the relief of the shattered regiments.

It appears that the Boches, on Thursday, hoped to regain the initiative by the attack planned against Zonnebeke, which offensive we broke up in such a timely manner. The confused manner in which reserves were flung in by the enemy showed that no definite preparations for an offensive counter-attack in response to a further advance on our part had been made.

The German Command has been using desperate efforts to prevent us

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Uncle Sam's Jackies Somewhere Off The French Coast

It is not all work and no play for our jackies now in European waters. The photograph shows sailors from one of Uncle Sam's warships diving overboard in a harbor "somewhere off the French coast." Swimming is encouraged among the men of our navy as a healthy exercise and as an art useful for sailormen.

BULGARIA SCORNED WHEN PEACE OFFER MADE TO RUMANIA

Reichstag in Storm as Socialists Challenge Fatherland Party

SEEK WAR PROFITS

Is Landsberg's Accusation; Civilians Intimidated, Army Cajoled

CONFIDENCE LOST

House is Adjourned After Hostile Outburst Against Government

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, October 6.—A telegram from Jassy states that the Bulgarian emissaries in Switzerland got into touch with the Rumanian delegates inquiring into the condition of Rumanian prisoners and made proposals for a separate peace between Bulgaria and Rumania. Their proposals were rejected with contempt.

Storm in Reichstag

Amsterdam, October 6.—A message from Berlin states that scenes of disorder occurred in the Reichstag, yesterday, during a debate on an interpellation by a Socialist deputy, Herr Landsberg, concerning Admiral von Tirpitz' new "Fatherland Party." Herr Landsberg declared that the new Party is a Pan-German institution whose leaders have utilised their war profits to buy up newspapers for the purpose of influencing public opinion with the object of securing bigger dividends.

He accused the Minister of War, General von Stein, of supporting the agitation of the Fatherland Party against the peace resolution passed by the Reichstag and called on the German Chancellor, Dr. Michaelis, in his own interest, to repudiate the Pan-German agitation. Herr Landsberg described how clergymen and officers intimidated civilians and how officers, by speeches and pamphlets, carried on a propaganda in the army on behalf of the Fatherland Party.

Army Politics Banned

The Minister of War, replying, declared that political agitation in the army was prohibited. (Cries of: "Oh! Oh!" whereupon the President of the Reichstag threatened to suspend the debate.)

General von Stein, continuing, said that the army hungered for intellectual nutriment and the soldiers must be enlightened concerning enemy lies and the difficulties at home. Therefore, the Army Command had provided lectures, plays, cinemas, pamphlets and newspapers, because the will to victory must be maintained.

The Deputy Chancellor, Dr. von Helfferich, explained that Dr. Michaelis was absent because he was burdened with work and this was not a political debate. The Socialists wanted the Chancellor to excommunicate the Fatherland Party. (Interruptions.)

No Confidence in Leaders

Dr. von Helfferich exclaimed: "If that is not true, I will waste no further words. If you have no confidence in the leaders of the army and the Government——" (Shouts of: "No!" drowned the remainder of his sentence.)

Dr. von Helfferich, after a pause, said: "There is no object in my continuing to speak" and resumed his seat.

The debate was adjourned until Monday.

PERU AND URUGUAY LINE UP ON THE SIDE OF U.S.

Kaiser's Ministers Get Notice To Go; Uruguay Admits Not Directly Injured

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Lima, October 6.—Congress voted almost unanimously to sever diplomatic relations between Peru and Germany and the Government has now handed the German Minister his passports.

Monte Video, October 6.—A Presidential decree announces the rupture of diplomatic relations with Germany and states that passports have been handed to the German Minister.

The President of Uruguay, in a message to Congress, said that, although Uruguay had received no direct injury from Germany, it was necessary to show her solidarity with the champions of justice, democracy and the small nations.

Submarine Interned Since September 10 Escapes From Cadiz

U-293 Slips Out Of Spanish Port, Causing Serious Situation In Madrid

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Madrid, October 7.—The Premier has announced the escape of the German submarine U-293, which entered Cadiz harbor on September 10, and was interned. The Minister of Marine has suspended the responsible officers and ordered an inquiry.

[illegible] Port Less, So Risk Rate Down

Action Of American Government Insurance Bureau Proves Declining Powers Of U-Boat

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Washington, October 6.—Owing to the effectiveness of the methods employed by the Allies against submarines, the United States Government war risk bureau has reduced the insurance rates on American steamers traversing the war-zone by one-fourth.

FRENCH DEPUTY HELD AS AN ENEMY TRADER

Papers Allege M. Turmel Sold Germany Details Of Chamber's Secret Session

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Paris, October 6.—Deputy Turmel has been arrested, following an investigation which has lasted for some weeks, on charges of trading with the enemy. In consequence of the discovery of Swiss banknotes to a large amount at M. Turmel's residence, the French newspapers have been alleging that M. Turmel sold Germany details of the secret session recently held by the Chamber. M. Turmel has replied that the money was connected with a cattle transaction.

DANIELS PAYS TRIBUTE TO BRITISH FRANKNESS

Admiralty Gives Sims Fullest Information, Allowing Perfect Co-operation

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Washington, October 6.—Secretary of the Navy Daniels has issued a statement regarding the complete co-operation of the British Admiralty with American naval authorities since the outbreak of hostilities. He characterises the spirit of the Admiralty as one of perfect openness, frankness and co-operation. The Admiralty has given American officers access to every bit of information relating to submarine warfare and has opened every door to Admiral Sims and his colleagues.

Three Are Injured In Bomb Explosion

Big Crowd In Panic As Missile Is Hurled In Amusement Place

A bomb hurled from one of the upper floors into the crowded court of the Great World amusement place in the French Concession Sunday night injured three persons and threw the hundreds of spectators into a panic. Many women and children were knocked down and trampled upon in the stampede for the exits, but so far as could be ascertained no serious injuries resulted. Two arrests have been made by the French police.

The bomb-throwing occurred at about 9.45 p.m., evidently from the first floor of the building on the side facing the courtyard. Fragments of the missile buried themselves in the legs of a man and a woman standing near the spot and another twisted bit of tin struck into the back of a second man. The latter was taken to the hospital where it was said his condition was not critical. The two men arrested were taken into custody because of suspicious actions. The bomb was of the cigarette tin variety, judging by bits of metal found on the scene. Extortion of money from the management is believed to be the motive.

CONGRESS ADJOURNS; GETS WILSON MESSAGE

President Congratulates Body On Successful War Measures Passed During Session

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Washington, October 6.—Congress has adjourned. President Wilson sent a message to Congress, on the closing of the session, announcing that the needs of the army and navy have been met in a manner assuring the effectiveness of the American arms and the war-making department of the Government has been equipped with the powers necessary to make the action of the nation effective.

Congress had safeguarded the rights of the people without forgetting the considerations of social justice. The whole work of this remarkable session had been done thoroughly and with the utmost despatch consistent with a full consideration of such very critical matters. Best of all, Congress had left no doubt regarding the spirit and determination of the country and had "affirmed them as loyally and emphatically as our fine soldiers will affirm them in the firing-line."

30 Cents Per Pound Asked by Cotton Men

Conference Of American Interests Fixes Minimum Price For Raw Product

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

New Orleans, October 4.—A minimum price of 30 cents per pound to farmers has been settled by a conference of the cotton interests of the ten southern States. This is considered justified by the present selling price of manufactured cotton products.

Seizure of Swedish Ships Draws Protest

French And British Requisition Ten Boats Under An Old International Rule

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Stockholm, October 5.—Sweden is protesting to the French and British Governments against the exercise of the old international rule under which the latter have requisitioned ten Swedish vessels for military purposes.

Silver Market Inert, Prices Falling Back

Result Of Lack Of Important Buying Orders; Favorable To Indian Government

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, October 4.—Samuel Montagu's weekly silver report says that the silver market is inert and prices are again on the retrograde, in the absence of important buying orders. The return of prices to a lower level favors the Indian Government, which is undoubtedly in a position to use large quantities of silver when they can be secured at advantageous prices.

Dysentery and Typhus Ravaging Germany

Spread Of Diseases Now Serious Concern To Officials In Large Cities

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, October 6.—A correspondent on the French front wires that the correspondence of German prisoners is full of details concerning the spread of dysentery and hunger-typhus in Germany, the former especially ravaging Berlin, Cologne, Wiesbaden, Stettin and other large towns, necessitating the closing of barracks and cinemas. Professor Abderhalden, lecturing at Leipzig, referred to the appearance of beriberi and scurvy and the great increase of tuberculosis in Germany.

HSUCHOWFU BRIGANDS GET BUSY ONCE MORE

Suppressed On One Side, They Break Out On Other; Defeated In Battle

Reuter's Pacific Service to The China Press

Peking, October 7.—A report from Hsuchowfu states that the brigands west of that town have been entirely suppressed, but are again active on the east side. The Kiangsu authorities asked for the co-operation of General Chang Ching-yao's forces, which was accorded.

A fight ensued at Chunginghsien, near the Kiangsu border, in which the bandits were defeated and fled. Steps are now being taken to deal with the fugitives.

Dinner Given Mr. Cole On Eve of Departure

Director Of Standard Oil Company Leaves Shanghai Today For Home

Mr. H. E. Cole, director of the Standard Oil Company, who has been in China since January, was the guest of honor at the Carlton Cafe last night on the eve of his departure for home. Mr. Cole is leaving this morning for the north, when he will take the train for Japan via Manchuria and Korea. Mr. Cole will be accompanied as far as Japan by Mr. C. H. Blake, managing director of the company in China. Mr. Blake presided at last night's dinner, which was given by the executive staff of the China office.

York Minster's Bells Rung for Haig Victory

British Empire Union Suggests Entire Country Celebrate Successful Stroke In Belgium

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, October 6.—The bells of York Minster were rung yesterday afternoon, in honor of Sir Douglas Haig's victory. Sir Manningham-Buller, on behalf of the British Empire Union, has write to the Press, suggesting that bells should be rung and flags displayed throughout the country.

American Destroyer Sends U-Boat Under

Exciting Fight In European Waters Is Finished Off With Depth-Bombs

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Washington, October 7.—The Navy Department has published a story of how, after an exciting fight, an American destroyer sank a submarine by depth-bombs, in European waters. The British Admiralty has sent a letter of appreciation concerning the action to the Navy Department.

Communications Bank To Resume Payments

Reuter's Pacific Service to The China Press

Peking, October 8.—The directors of the Bank of Communications have decided to resume specie payment, at first in two provinces, one of which will be Honan, where it is believed that little difficulty will be encountered.

Roosevelt Is Invited To the Italian Front

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Rome, October 7.—Colonel Roosevelt has been invited to visit the Italian front.

The Weather

Cloudy but fine weather. The maximum temperature recorded yesterday was 73.9 and the minimum 55.4, the figures for the corresponding day last year being respectively 72.9 and 63.1.

Mail Notices

MAILS CLOSE

For Japan:—
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Kasuga M. Oct. 10
Per R.V.F. s.s. Penza ..... Oct. 12
Per N.Y.K. s.s. H'saki M. Oct. 13
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Hakuai M. Oct. 16
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Omi Maru Oct. 20

For U.S., Canada and Europe:—
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Inaba Maru Oct. 12
Per P.M. s.s. Colombia.. Oct. 13
Per T.K.K. s.s. Siberia M. Oct. 18

For Europe:—
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Kitano M. Oct. 12
Per N.Y.K. s.s. S'zuoka M. Oct. 14
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Hirano M. Oct. 28

German Air Service Chief Held Prisoner

Captured By Russian Scouts During Daring Raid In The Black Sea

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Petrograd, October 7.—Count von Meyer, the chief of the German Black Sea air-service, has been taken prisoner in a daring raid by Russian scouts.

Germans Fear Sea Flank Menaced

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capturing men alive. This has aroused the bitterest resentment among the Germans, promising sequels when the prisoners we have taken return to the Fatherland after the war.

During Thursday, a number of prisoners were told off for stretcher-bearing. A Boche aeroplane, flying very low, deliberately used its machine-guns against them, killing several Germans. In a similar manner, prisoners are frequently sniped, or have machine-guns turned on them by their own men and, consequently, on getting a chance to surrender, they fling away their helmets, to minimise the chance of identification.

A battalion of Irish Fusiliers, on Thursday, covered itself with glory. It requested permission to attack a very difficult point and advanced with such irresistible dash that it gained the whole of its objectives without a stop and took 80 prisoners. The Devons had stubborn fighting in the valley of the Reutelbeek, where the ground was a great bog, the men frequently sinking shoulder deep.

Hard up for Infantry

As illustrating the seriousness of the German man-power question, it may be noted that Uhlans have recently been converted into infantry and machine-gunners.

I understand that, out of six enemy Divisions, including one of the Guards, who had been in Gheluvelt village and Passchendaele, 40 battalions suffered so severely that they will not be capable of taking part in the fighting for some time.

The bayonet was conspicuous in repelling counter-attacks and a large proportion of the enemy wounded at our casualty stations are bayonet cases. One platoon of Scottish, attacking a large concrete emplacement, killed 27 Germans with the bayonet.

The proportion of officers captured since Thursday morning is one in 40 men.

Apart from the loss of their dominating positions, the Germans on Thursday suffered a greater wastage of man-power than in any day of 1917. The German official communiques evade this point and endeavor to encourage the German people by dwelling on "the restricted British gain of territory."

The fact is that the new British positions give our big guns command of the stretch of coast from Nieuport to Ostend and jeopardise the whole position of the enemy in West Flanders. The value of the ground won is indicated by one correspondent, who says that Bruges is now plainly visible to the British.

Winning Road to Ostend

Sir Douglas Haig has now won practically the whole ridge which the Germans have been struggling desperately to hold. Keiberg Spur and the isolated height of Moorslede alone remain in the hands of the Germans and when they have been ejected from these they will be wholly in the plains, with the way open to the British to Roulers and Menin on the one hand and, on the other hand, through Houthulst Forest to Ostend.

The entire operation on Thursday went like clock-work. In its salient features, it was very similar to its recent predecessors in this region, but, while the resistance of the German troops was probably less dogged, on the whole, mainly owing to their prepared defences being fewer, the enemy's artillery fire was very intense.

Our troops experienced machine-gun fire during their advance, but the pill-box resistance seems to have been half-hearted, judging from the extensive rounding-up of machine-guns from these places, while many of the German counter-attacks were on a small scale and easily dealt with by our artillery. Some swelled to formidable proportions, particularly in the neighborhood of Reutel where, between three and seven o'clock yesterday afternoon, the Germans maintained a very heavy attack from the direction of Oosthoek, bringing up a continuous stream of reserves and, although our barrage punished these severely, the continuous pressure, as already reported, slightly bent back our line.

Since, however, our men have been consolidating part of Reutel village and as we possess the higher ground commanding Reutel, their local success here offers the enemy no advantage. Their presumable object was to drive us off Broodseinde Ridge altogether.

Huge German Losses

As illustrating the degree of the enemy's losses, some Australians last night counted nearly a thousand corpses on a front of little more than a thousand yards. The Anzacs claim that they have established a record in the number of prisoners taken as compared with any unit of corresponding strength. They found crouching in one shell-hole seven Boche officers, including a battalion commander, whom the 3rd Wallabies had taken from a blockhouse. An Australian officer, single-handed, took 31 prisoners.

The New Zealanders fought magnificently and the way they moved their guns was worthy of the Military Tournament

During the day, the German airmen flew low over our positions. We brought down at least one with machine-gun fire.

In the attack on Poelcapelle, we took a terrible toll of the enemy. I am told that six battalions in the German front line were all killed or taken prisoners. Two battalions were seen coming down the road, presumably re-inforcements, but were blown and shot to rags before they could get into action.

The tanks did excellent service, enabling the Warwicks and other English troops to take two very strong and important points which were successfully resisting their attack. Several anti-tank and anti-aircraft guns are among our booty.

The Newfoundlanders gave a fine account of themselves, attaining excellent results, at light cost. It was about their part of the line that a young officer, 19 years old, had an extraordinary escape. A shell burst almost at his feet and killed the two orderlies accompanying him. When he recovered from the shock, he found that his puttees had been stripped off by the blast, but he was quite uninjured.

Both the Australians and New Zealanders sometimes went far beyond the limits of the advance prescribed and had to be brought back, grumbling heartily that the freedom of infantry tactics should be subjected to the control of the artillery barrage.

Most of the German officers taken are very pessimistic and the tone in which they talk of Germany's position and prospects is very significant.

German Bulletins

(By wireless).—A German official communique yesterday reported: "The artillery work has increased to drum-fire between Poelcapelle and Gheluvelt. A French attack north-east of Rheims failed."

A German official communique today reported: "There has been a continuous and very destructive artillery-fire between Poelcapelle and Zandvoorde. Photographs show that great destruction has been done in Dunkirk in consequence of our air-raids."

Command Lille Road

Paris, October 5.—A semi-official comment on the British victory points out that the Germans, knowing the determination of the British to obtain possession of the Menin Ridges, quadrupled their artillery and brought up division after division and yet were unable to prevent the advance of the British, which has already won positions of decisive importance, commanding the road to Lille.

On The French Front

Paris, October 7.—The official communique issued yesterday afternoon reported: There has been a lively engagement on the right of the Meuse. A group of the enemy who gained a foothold in our advanced trenches were driven out and the line restored.

We carried out successful raids in the Souain and Regnieville sectors.

The communique in the evening stated that there was nothing to report, except artillery duels on both sides of the Meuse.

The communique this afternoon reported: There have been artillery duels in the Vauxaillon, Laffaux and Hurtebise sectors and on the left bank of the Meuse, notably north of Hill 344 and towards Bezonvaux.

We repulsed a powerful raid against Navarin Farm, in the Champagne. The enemy's losses were appreciable.

The communique this evening reports:—There has been no infantry action today. The artillery duel has sometimes been violent in Belgium, on the Aisne front and of the right bank of the Meuse.

V. C. Is awarded To Submarine Fighter

Secrecy Of Campaign Necessitates Withholding Details Of Gallant Action

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, October 7.—Illustrating the truth of the passage in General Smuts' speech in which he said that there had been deeds in the campaign against submarines which were so daring that they could only be told after the war, the Court Circular cryptically announces that the King has bestowed the Victoria Cross on Lieutenant Charles Bonner, of the Royal Naval Reserve, in recognition of conspicuous gallantry and consummate coolness and skill in an action with an enemy submarine.

U.S. War Appropriation Nearly Twenty Billion

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, October 7.—The Press Bureau issues the following communique: The American Embassy states that Congress, since last April, has voted G.$17,000,000,000 and authorised contracts for a further G.$2,500,000,000, the bulk for war purposes, including G.$7,000,000,000 in loans to the Allies.

Belgians Give Battle For Mahenge Position

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, October 7.—Reuter's special correspondent wires from Massindye, in East Africa, that the Belgians are now in contact with the enemy on a front of nine miles east of Mahenge. Indian cavalry in the Lindi district have captured or destroyed large quantities of foodstuffs, clearing bare a large tract of enemy country.

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3,500 Prisoners Taken In Ramadie Victory

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, October 6.—An official despatch from Mesopotamia reports:—The details of our captures at Ramadie show that we took 145 officers, 3,120 unwounded men, 190 wounded men, 1,061 rifles, the parts of five unassembled engines, several miles of track, two steam launches, much material and ammunition.

SIR J. JORDAN IN PEKING

Reuter's Pacific Service to The China Press

Peking, October 7.—Sir John Jordan arrived yesterday evening.

ON BALKAN FRONT

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, October 7.—(By wireless).—A Russian official communique reports: We captured a height and also half the village of Vaskoutcy, north-westward of the Sereth and repulsed counter-attacks. Subsequently, the enemy's artillery forced us to abandon the village. We took 762 prisoners.

A German official communique reports: The Bulgarians repulsed an attack made by the British, eastward of Lake Doiran.

Paris, October 7.—An official communique from the Eastern headquarters reports:—"The artillery has been active on the Vardar front, north of Monastir and in the region of the Lakes."

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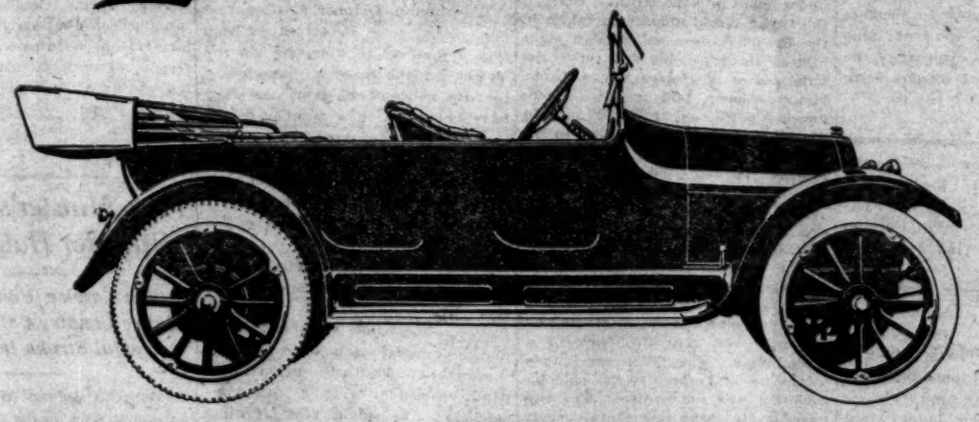
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COALITION GOVERNMENT FOR RUSSIA IS AGREED

Preliminary Parliament Begins Sittings; Railwaymen Again Threaten To Strike

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Petrograd, October 8.—The members of the Government, the Moscow industrial representatives, the delegates of the All-Russia democratic conference and the Cadets Party held a conference from five o'clock yesterday afternoon till three o'clock this morning and reached an agreement for the constitution of a Coalition Government.

After an interview with M. Kerensky, the delegates had earlier abandoned the idea of an exclusively Socialist Cabinet, M. Kerensky having confirmed the report that the Government has approved the formation of a Provisional Parliament. Subsequently, M. Kerensky requested the Moscow representatives to come to Petrograd, to help in the reconstruction of the Cabinet. It is understood that they will be allotted four portfolios.

Although the elections for the preliminary Parliament are not yet complete its sittings have begun. M. Tcheidze has been elected President of the Parliament and a committee comprising six members has been instituted, which includes two ex-Ministers and two Maximalists.

The Cabinet Council has issued a semi-official statement that the Korniloff affair is on the eve of a favorable solution.

The newspaper Novoye Zizn states that, owing to new facts elicited by the committee of inquiry into the Korniloff revolt, the charge of high treason may be abandoned. It is stated that the Government ordered the despatch of the 3rd Cavalry Corps to Petrograd and gave instructions that all General Korniloff's orders were to be carried out.

The dispute between the seamen of the Baltic Fleet and the Ministry of Marine, mentioned on the 3rd, has been settled by the intervention of the Petrograd Soviet. Admiral Verderevsky, the Minister of Marine, telegraphed to the crews, requesting them to keep calm, as the Germans are preparing a sudden blow in the Baltic. The seamen replied that the dispute did not concern their fighting orders, which would be obeyed immediately.

Eight thousand soldiers at Gomel, in the Province of Mohileff, recently refused to go to the front. They were surrounded by Cossacks and Dragoons and surrendered.

The workmen in all the paper-factories have struck work, which threatens to prevent the early convocation of the Constituent Assembly, owing to want of paper for the electoral bulletins.

The railwaymen, in view of the slowness of the Government in dealing with their demand for increased wages, have decided to cease all railway traffic, except munition and military trains, today. They have adhered to this decision, despite an appeal from M. Kerensky not to increase the misfortunes of their country.

The Vladikavkaz Railway, which is an important system, with other lines, has decided not to participate in the strike. It is hoped that the strike will be averted at the eleventh hour.

ENGLISH ARE SLACKING IS ENEMY'S SLANDER

Propagandists Abroad Say Burden Thrown Upon Other Parts of Empire

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, October 7.—Much attention has been bestowed on the figures published by Reuter's Agency showing the proportions of British troops engaged in the fighting since July 31, namely, English 70 per cent, overseas troops 16 per cent, Scottish 8 per cent and Irish 6 per cent and the proportions of the casualties, namely, English 76 per cent, overseas troops 8 per cent, Scottish 10 per cent and Irish 6 per cent.

The Observer says: "The generous prominence given in official communiques to the exploits of the Dominion troops and the Scottish, Welsh and Irish is England's instinctive response to the keen pride of nationality which is the past historic birthright of her neighbors in the United Kingdom and to the zest of the youth in the Dominions. Englishmen do not grudge or misunderstand the disproportionate frequency with which these troops have been mentioned, but when this mention is made the foundation of a peculiarly foul slander by the enemy, it is necessary to state the facts.

"German propagandists in Russia and America have spread an asertion that England thrusts the main burden of the war on the other parts of the Empire. It was full time that the official agencies grappled firmly with a falsehood which is so poisonous. Nothing is more vital to the purposes of the enemy than to disparage the credit and weaken the authority of England in the ranks of the Grand Alliance."

Song Service Decision Reached next Sunday

Plan to Co-operate with Union Church to be Discussed At Tiffin Tomorrow

The proposed amalgamation of the American Sunday Song Service with Union Church services of a similar character is to be discussed by the persons interested throughout this week and will come up for open discussion at the Song Service in the Palace Hotel next Sunday, when it is possible that a vote on the matter may be taken. In the meantime attendants of the Song Service who so wish and some of the members of the Union Church Committee will meet at tiffin at Shepherd's Cafe tomorrow to take up various questions involved. The Church Committee has submitted a tentative outline of the proposed amalgamation.

Indians Vote Down Plea for Exemption

Canada Natives by Large Majority Accept Military Service Regulations

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

Ottawa, October 5.—The Indians of Ontario, in grand council, voted down by a large majority the proposal to ask for exemption under the Military Service Act.

Soochow Literary Association's Season Auspiciously Begun

Special Correspondence to the China Press

Soochow, October 6.—The Soochow Literary Association held its regular monthly meeting at the home of the Misses Sloan on Thursday afternoon at three o'clock. This was the first meeting of the new year and it was a pleasure to meet again with those who had been away for the summer holidays and several who had returned from furlough in America.

Refreshments were served before the session and the meeting was called to order about half past four. The paper for the afternoon was a most interesting and instructive one on "The Temples" of Soochow by Mr. Brinkley.

These meetings have been full of interest and profit as the subjects have been connected with a fuller knowledge of things Chinese especially in Soochow.

Below is given the program for the rest of the season:

November 1.—"The Appeal of Taoism to the Chinese Mind," Mr. R. D. Wolcott.

December 6.—"The Appeal of Buddhism to the Chinese Mind," Rev. Henry A. McNulty.

January 3.—"The Influence of Confucianism upon the Formation of Chinese Character," Dr. John W. Cline.

February 7.—"The Appeal of Christianity to the Chinese Mind," Mr. Zao Tsz-zung.

March 7.—"Household Industries in Soochow," Miss Elizabeth A. Love.

April 4.—"The Industries of Soochow," Dr. E. V. Jones.

May 2.—"Music," Misses Olive and Lipscomb.

June 6.—"The Appeal of Mohammedanism to the Chinese Mind," Rev. O. C. Crawford.

Y.100,000,000 DAMAGE BY TYPHOON IN JAPAN

Many Villages Totally Destroyed; Island Disappears With All On It

Reuter's Pacific Service to The China Press

Tokio, October 6.—The number of the deaths which occurred during the typhoon last Monday increases every hour. The casualties and damage are so great that an official or private comprehensive estimate is not yet available. According to the latest reports, the deaths in Tokio prefecture alone are placed at over 500, the houses totally destroyed at 3,000, houses submerged 150,000 and people rendered homeless 200,000.

Accurate lists of the number of people killed and injured and the damage done in Chiba, Ibaraki, Fukushima, Kanagawa and other prefectures are not yet obtainable, but are believed to be still heavier. The material damage to the whole country is believed to be over 100,000,000 Yen.

Several villages in the neighborhood of Tokio were totally destroyed. In the village of Sunamura alone, 300 bodies have already been discovered, while more are still being found. A great number of bodies have been heaped in the village office, to be identified. The crematories are overcrowded.

Heartrending stories are reported from the local districts. One of the most tragic happenings was the perishing of the 300 inhabitants of a small island off the town of Urayasu, in the Chiba prefecture, which has completely disappeared into the muddy sea.

Relief measures are now in full swing. The Emperor's chamberlains are inspecting the flooded districts, the Government authorities are co-operating with leading businessmen and relief organisations are being quickly formed. Appeals are being readily responded to.

The railways are carrying free of charge all goods sent for relief and all the charitable and religious organisations, including the Red Cross and Saiseikai, are concentrating their efforts and sending out squads of helpers. The authorities are taking active measures to control the prices of foodstuffs and daily necessaries, which have already gone up enormously.

Strict care is being taken with regard to hygienic conditions after the floods and repair work is being pushed on the railways, telegraphs and other means of communication and also on the light, gas and water supplies.

The Cameos Returning

The Cameos will open the new theatrical season Friday night when they appear at the Lyceum Theater. This time this clever troupe will be here only two nights and for that reason good houses are expected at both performances. Booking is at Moutrie's at the usual prices.

False Passports Case Is Finished

Court Reserves Judgment In Matter Involving Chinese Printers

The passports case in which two Chinese printers are charged with manufacturing false Spanish and Norwegian documents for the use of enemy subjects, was concluded in the Mixed Court yesterday before Assessor Byrne and Magistrate Kwan. The court reserved judgment after the attorneys had summed up.

BRITISH HEIR FOLLOWS IN FATHER'S FOOTSTEPS

Dominions Delighted at Appointment to Head St. Michael And St. George Order

(Reuter's Agency War Service)

London, October 5.—The appointment of the Prince of Wales as Grand Master of the Order of St. Michael and St. George is hailed with satisfaction in the quarters in London connected with the Dominions and the overseas possessions, in view of the special association of the Order with Greater Britain. It is felt that the appointment of the Prince, who follows in the footsteps of his father, who himself was Grand Master of the Order when Prince of Wales, serves to enhance the dignity of the Order at a time when it has already gained increased importance by being conferred on the highest British and Allied commanders who have distinguished themselves during the war.

8 OREGONIAN SPORTS WRITERS ON ARMY ROLL

Portland Newspaper Staff Depleted By Call Of The War

While all the newspapers of the Pacific Coast have contributed large quotas of men to the military service, the medal goes to the sports department of the Portland Oregonian, Portland, Ore. Eight young men who have been connected with this department within the past two or three years are now on Uncle Sam's payroll.

First to go was Walter de la Giffard, now a captain in the British army in Greece. One other former Oregonian sports writer, Edward Sammons, secured a captaincy in the first Officers' Reserve camp at the Presidio. Another, James Cellars, earned a second lieutenancy. Joseph Patterson, a former Pittsburg boy, joined the Ambulance Corps over one year ago and has been in France on the fighting line for 12 months. Earl Goodwin, gun sports editor joined the Field Hospital corps several weeks ago and is now at American Lake. Harry M. Grayson, assistant sporting editor, left about the same time and is now wearing "Baby Blue" with the Marines at Mare Island. Frank Hochfeld, interscholastic writer, is with the Oregon Coast Artillery corps at Ft. Stevens, Ore.

Roscoe, Fawcett, sporting editor, enrolled in the second Officers' Reserve camp and is now at the Presidio trying to win a commission. Fawcett is secretary of the Portland Golf club and captained the team that won the Pacific Northwest Golf championship at the recent tournament.

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Battle of the Carso Superb Panorama, Says Observer

By George A. B. Dewar

Italian Front.—I reached Italian Headquarters from Rome by the night train, next day motored across the old frontier line in the blaze of the Italian afternoon, and, coming round a corner, suddenly found myself, without in the least expecting it, in the biggest battle of all time. I do not think this is an exaggeration at all, but, anyhow, I should claim it to be a venial one, for consider that this was an affair engaging, on a 30-mile front, anything from a million and a half to a million and three-quarters of men, fighting lines and reserves, and that it must have been prepared and carried on by some thousands of guns on the Italian side alone.

I understood before coming to Italy that an offensive on a large scale was almost due, and there was not much time to spare if I wished to see its early stages. The day I reached G.H.Q. I heard the townspeople had been on the roofs the night before listening to the throbbing of the guns 20 to 30 miles away. But, after a year's experience of the British, French, and Belgian fronts, one tends to grow a little *ennuye* of the sound of drumfire barrage. I have heard them on the Somme, the reports so packed together, so absolutely continuous, that it has been as if the guns were making a single sound; while, in one extraordinary instance, I listened last year for twenty minutes to the sounds, as well as to the echoes and re-echoes, of the guns speaking in undertones to the quiet Sussex hills and woods more than 120 miles away.

Little Power's Vast Effort

Therefore the rumors of great fighting again and the awed talk of the townspeople as to the volume of fire the night before left me cold. Besides, the thing heard of is so much less than the thing sent! I knew Italy's effort in the war to be heroic; but until I crossed into what was Austria before May, 1915 and came upon the Carso I failed to grasp the vastness of the thing, its audacity. I expected something or other, and knew it would be interesting, but expected nothing more. Italy is not a very large country; her population is not a great deal more than half a Germany's. Italy is young for a Power—only about 50; he is poor, if money is wealth. We might scarcely expect a Titanic stroke from such a country; we could scarcely expect what the ancient Greeks called "gigantomachy" (God-battling); yet that is what we have got.

I not only found myself plump in a vast battle all of a sudden but so well placed in that battle that with my field-glasses I could see the sun shining on the metal utensils of several of the soldiers who had just taken a certain hill and were awaiting orders to advance. I could now and then see distinctly one of them moving. They lay along the ridge, sheltering themselves as best they could from the enemy, whose shrapnel was bursting in rust-red and white smoke over their heads. The position had been stormed early that morning and the men could not make a further advance till the line had been adjusted on either side of them; but they were ready—on the spring.

The whole of the terrible, superb panorama about us was smoking and flashing and creakling with one tremendous, connected battle. I looked down from the line of men sheltering on the ridge hard by to the plain on my left, where Italian armored cars were supporting the advance of infantry. The Austrians were searching the cars out with shrapnel and percussion shell, and one of them had just been disabled when we came on the scene. Immediately behind us a battery was firing at an Austrian position on the summit of a steep wooded hill, which with us would be a considerable mountain—and yet we think of the Carso as a kind of plain! The Austrians were trying to reply, but not at all effectively in this instance, as their observation here, through natural difficulties, chanced to be deficient. Besides, their aeroplanes were being held back—the Italians were having all the best of it in the air at the start of this battle; and, indeed, during that day and the next I saw only one enemy machine well across the lines on the Italian side and being "Archied" over our heads.

The Voice Of Battle

So the Austrian shells were dropping wide of the batteries at this spot; still they were dropping; and were one able from knowledge to add the number of enemy guns and howitzers to the number of Italian, I suppose a total would be discovered of well over seven thousand. Imagine the music of these guns, with the frequent pitter-patter of the machine guns, and the whirring now and then of parties of a whole squadron of Italian aeroplanes overhead, and you have the voice of battle as it reverberates from hill to hill. It is not so trying to the ear as are various paltry sounds. A pencil screeched across a slate is worse, a street hawker is often worse; but ultimately it wears the nerve even of strong and fearless men, I believe, so that silence after it is as blassed as spring water to a dry throat.

Seeing a great battle is in one way the same on all front. It is going from observation point to observation point, sometimes it is creeping hands and knees in a dark tunnel underground, sometimes peering over a trench top—on to which there is always a fair chance that a fixed rifle may be trained; or one may mount a tree or peer through a tiny slit or hole in a fort, just enough light for one man to avail himself of at a time: or shelter in a ruined farmhouse or chateau, which the enemy are too busy at the moment to be spending priceless shells on, and look boldly out of the window or one of the holes in the crazy walls.

These peeps are excellent, because—as in this particular case—there is a real chance of seeing the infantry ready or even on the move; and because the observer has an agreeable idea that, as he is not worth powder and shot, the enemy is not going to waste a shell on his head.

But it is between such observation points that the scale of a modern battle and the immensity and incredible preparation of it are borne in on us. We often think of the war as an underground business, mine and counter-mine, trench and counter-trench scarring the whole countryside, caves dug-outs, tunnels, forts, all in the dark and well out of sight. Yet really it is only a fraction of any army that can be spirited away. The vast bulk of every army is just as much at the surface, it always must be, as in the old wars. "Battle's magnificently stern array" holds good today as in Byron's time, only it is now on an incomparably greater scale.

Passing behind the fighting lines—that is, the actually attacking or defending infantry lines—from sector to sector or observation point to observation point, one is never out of sight of a huge mass of material and men. Camouflage may be a great essential military art. Both sides cultivate it with a meticulous care; there is no end to the neat and sometimes comic devices in the game of hide and seek at and behind the lines. Not-to-be-photographed is the desire of great armies.

And yet, when all has been said and done on behalf of concealment, there is this perfectly obvious fact, that endless masses of men, guns, horses, lorries, ammuntion p les, tents, go on repeating themselves behind the lines like decimal fractions. Nobody need be afraid of going within two or three miles of a battle that is raging and not seeing a great deal of the game. He might as well be afraid of walking through the streets of London or Paris at midday and not seeing the show there. Among the Italian mountains it is just the same in this as on the plains of France. It must be so everywhere.

A Splendid Manhood

I have said that Italy is financially a comparatively poor country. That is so if we sit down and discuss the figures if her Budgets, if we value her by the income test, by export and import sums. But if we get up from the counting-house and go out into the open air and view what she is doing today on the Carso and in the Italian Alps—to say nothing of the rest of her several hundreds of miles of war line—we see that the mere money criterion will not do. Italy today is rich and mighty. Her bronzed soldiers form a splendid manhood. Wherever I went on the Carso and wherever I went in the Alps I found them robust, active, full of good nature, looking absolutely fit, good at their food and good at their work.

The impression made on me by the Italian soldiers in regard to manhood and great heart on my first day at their front was precisely the impression made on me when I first saw British soldiers in the struggle on the Somme last year.

We talked to a "walker," a slip of a boy returning from the fight near the Hermada, one of a string of wounded with their labels in them. He was hit in both arms—no case of a "comfortably wounded" man there, well out of it. Yet he, like others in the string straggling up the steep communication trench to hospital or redressing station, was quite willing to stop and give his mite of news about the way the battle was going down by the sea where the old castle of Duino shaped cloud-like against the lovely blue of the Bay of Trieste. He could tell us that the enemy was in flight—that everything went well. The news of men returning from the battle is usually the same when the offensive has been on their side. It may not be very acceptable from a severe historical standpoint. There is too much genuine optimism about it to suit such a thing as a map or an exact chronicle. Yet in a sense the deep sources of history are often in these soldier sayings. They go to prove that men are not made of clay alone.

I hate war, of course. We all hate war, it is our business to. But none the less the words coming from ordinary soldiers returning soiled and bloody-fingered from the fight urge on one more than any argument that there must be some kind of divine spark in man more subtle than radium and defying even death. A British officer told me the valor of these Italian troops is often amazing; that it will take collective impulse, causing whole units to perform feats which commonly one associates with a single gifted individual. I can believe that after having seen what Italy has tried, and in part, achieved in the Alps—a subject I shall pursue in my next article.

Obituary

Mr. Cecil R. Holcomb

Mr Cecil R. Colcomb, American lawyer, who had practised for nearly 20 years in Shanghai, died at the General Hospital on Saturday night, after a protracted illness. The funeral took place at Bubbling Well Cemetery yesterday afternoon, a number of members of the legal fraternity attending.

Mr. Holcomb, who was about 57 years old, came to Shanghai from the Philippines about 20 years ago. He was one of the first American lawyers to devote himself largely to Mixed Court practise. Ill health took him back to America two years ago and he returned in the Spring of this year evidently much improved. Mr Holcomb's home was in Portland, Oregon, where he leaves a widow and son and a married daughter. His brother is a prominent physician in Portland.

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From W. T. Massey

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The discovery was made at Shellal, between Beersheba and Khan Yunus. Thus the church was on the main road from Jerusalem to Egypt, the road the Ethiopian eunuch took when he met Philip and was baptised. Shellal in Arabic means "bubbling springs." Perhaps it was at these springs, which today give abundant water for our troops, that he was baptised.

When we were making ready for an advance on Gaza the Assistant Provost-Marshal of the Anzac Mounted Division (Captain Jordan) went up a high mound which dominated the oldest crossing of the Wadi Guzze and he found the Turks, in digging a trench around the summit and making a machine-gun emplacement, had revealed the edge of the mosaic. He made sure a large platform existed, and then some officers and men got to work on the hilltop, and after removing some six feet of soil and debris they cleared a mosaic floor measuring some 27ft. by 18ft. The floor remained exposed till photographs, drawing in color, and notes could be taken of it, and after due deliberation as to the best means of removing it the task of lifting it began, a task requiring great care which took 14 days. Not a stone was lost.

1,400 Years Old

The inscription, or that portion of it which has survived the wrecking work of rains, has been translated by Mr. A. H. Smith, of the Department of Graeco-Roman Antiquities, British Museum, to read thus:

"X (sign of the Cross). This temple with spacious (? foundations) was built by our most holy (bishop or similar title) and most pious George——in the year 622 according to——(? the year of Gaza.)"

The era of Gaza commenced b.c. 61, which would give the date of the church as a.d. 561. Another possible era is that of Bostra, then the date of the church would be a.d. 727.

The Rev. Maitland Woods, an Army chaplain, says the inscription elaborated would read something like this: "X. And so he contributed generously to the building of this church here: he who was the most saintly of us all, and the most beloved of God. George was his name, and the (building was) erected in the 622nd year after (the Roman foundation of the city of Gaza.)"

The chaplain says: "Under this inscription were discovered the bones of the saint, lying feet to east and arms crossed on chest. These, almost 1,400 years old, crumbled at the touch. The right forearm had been broken, and had set beautifully, which was evidenced by the extra bulging bone growth around the fracture."

This mosaic and the remains of the saint, recovered from destruction by waters washing away the hill, are now in many cases packed away at a spot far from the scene of battle. They will some time after peace is declared find a safe repository in a city where they will be appreciated.

Compromise Offered By South To Peking

(From the Chinese Press)

A note of peace has been sounded in the schism between the South and Peking in a wire despatched by Inspector-General Lu Yung-ting, Admiral Chen Pi-kwan and Tuchuns Chen Ping-kun and Tan Hao-ming to President Feng Kuo-chang, making certain important concessions.

The Southern leaders stated that they have no opposition to the National Council provided the Parliament will be convened in a short time, that they could cancel the military government and the extraordinary session of Parliament in Canton and that they could negotiate for the cancellation of the independence of the First Squadron if the Peking government would yield to the following demands:

(1) The cancellation of the Mandate ordering the arrest of Dr. Sun Yat-sen, Speaker Wu Ching-lien and other Southern leaders, and the admission of members of the Kuo-mintang Party on an equal basis into the National Council.

(2) The agreement by the Peking administration to effect no change of the personnel of the Navy for the next three years.

(3) The agreement by Peking to effect no change of the officials of Kwangtung, Kwangsi and Hunan for the next three years and the restoration of Tuchun Tan Yen-kai and General Liu Kien-fang and Ling Shu-mei, who declared independence from the Tuan Cabinet. As an alternative for the restoration of Tan, a man named by General Lu Yung-ting, may fill the post of the Hunan Tuchun in order to show good faith on the part of the government.

[On this subject a Reuter telegram from Peking states: "The reply made by the Government is not available. But it is stated that it points out the impossibility of removing General Fu Liang-tso. Nevertheless, the Central Government promises to give the Southern leaders a voice in the settlement of the situation in Hunan and Szechuen. Another report states that the Central Government is willing to appoint a co-director of military affairs in Hunan, on the recommendation of General Lu Yung-ting."]

'The Light That Failed'

Rudyard Kipling's masterpiece will have its screen debut at the Apollo Theater on Thursday. It is the first of Kipling's works to be produced on the screen, and it is a tribute for which the Pathe Company are justly proud that Kipling not only allowed his masterpiece to be filmed, but actually wrote the sub-titles for the production. Edward Jose, director of Pathe's "Iron Claw" serial and others of equal fame, has chosen a reputed cast for this production, featuring as the hero Robert Edeson, the celebrated star of stage and screen, in the part of Dick Heldar. He stars throughout the picture, but his work in the scene when he realises that the light has failed—that he is blind—is one of the greatest pieces of acting ever seen on the screen. In the supporting cast appear such favorites as Claude Fleming, Jose Collins and Lilian Tucker. Some of the many remarkable scenes of the picture make one realise the charm of the East. There are lines of camels outlined against the desert sky; there are British soldiers, tribesmen and dervishes. And there is a realistic ending. Torpenhow, who sets out on the trail of the "mad Englishman," finds him mortally wounded, clenched in his hands the verse of Heldar's childhood dream of happiness with Mazie.

FRENCH HOSTILITY

Paris, August 27.—Public opinion in France becomes increasingly hostile to the Pope's intervention the more his Note is examined. The Temps says:

"It is unnecessary to discuss the matter with the Vatican, as Mr. Lloyd George proved yesterday. He demonstrated that Great Britain cannot be starved and that Germany cannot win the war. For the Pope to interpose only when Germany's weapon is blunted is not to serve the ends of justice; it is not even impartiality. The Allies cannot examine any peace proposition which does not come authentically from Germany, and France can accept no discussion either on the restitution of Alsace-Lorraine or on the principle of reparation."

SPORTS -:- Latest News of Athletic World -:- GOSSIP

SHANGHAI BAPTIST NINE DEFEATS SOOCHOW U.

Special Correspondence to the China Press

Soochow, Oct. 6.—An interesting event took place this afternoon on the Soochow University campus. The teams of the Shanghai Baptist College and the Soochow University crossed bats in the first match game of baseball that has ever been played here and it was the first game of the kind that the Soochow people had ever seen. While the locals lost out to the Shanghai men yet they were under a great handicap by having their regular pitcher and first baseman both out on account of sickness. The teams in the interior have no chance to see real baseball as those in Shanghai have and it will take some time for the outport boys to pull into shape for fine, fast ball. The final score was 28 to 10 in favor of Shanghai.

Lawn Bowls

Mr. Shaw Singles Champion

Mr. J. Shaw on Sunday met and defeated Mr. O. Crewe-Read for the Shanghai Singles Championship by 25 to 21. As Mr. Crewe-Read was the holder of the championship for 1916 much interest attached to the match. Mr. Shaw maintained a big lead after the thirteenth end.

Junior Golf Club Competitions

In the Singles Championship Semi-Final, Sunday morning, on Hongkew Park green, Mr. A. M. McGregor defeated Mr. D. McAlister by 23 to 14.

In the Rink Championship Final, also on Sunday morning at Hongkew, Mr. G. McMurdo's four easily defeated Mr. J. Anderson's four by 30-13. The teams were:—

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A. Braid	G. Hall
G. McMurdo (skip)	J. Anderson (skip)

In the pairs final Messrs. R. C. Aitkenhead and Frank George were the successful pair in the 1917 Lawn Bowls Final of the Junior Golf Club, securing the decision over T. Spring and J. R. Anding by 29-22.

Cricket

A match will be played tomorrow afternoon on the S. C. C. ground between an S. C. C. XI and the Parsees Cricket Club.

The S. C. C. team.—S. J. Deeks (Capt.), W. J. Haynes, C. S. Cheetham, W. C. G. Clifford, E. J. Barnes, H. W. Kilby, Bristow, F. W. Pentycross, H. Langley, E. G. Norman, S. Vine.

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WEATHER

Cloudy but fine weather in our regions. North to N.-W. gale on the Eastern Sea. The typhoon S.-E. of Formosa seems moving away North-Eastwards towards the South and the East of the Loochoos.

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SHANGHAI, OCTOBER 9, 1917

A Japanese Protectorate?

WE are requested by Mr. Jernigan to publish the following article for the consideration of *The Japan Advertiser* in connection with the leading editorial in its issue of September 30, 1917. In the editorial referred to, *The Advertiser* took exception to Mr. Jernigan's views regarding Japan's plans for a Monroe Doctrine in the Far East.

By T. R. Jernigan

There is good reason for the view that Viscount Ishii's recent statement in New York is an attempt at the declaration of a Japanese protectorate over the Chinese Republic disguised in terms of a Monroe Doctrine.

There is no parallel whatever between the circumstances that led President Monroe to incorporate in his annual message to Congress of December 2, 1823, the famous statement of American policy known as the Monroe Doctrine and the circumstances now inspiring Japanese policy towards China. The facts bear re-statement and comparison. In 1808 Napoleon invaded Spain, overthrew her dynasty and seated his brother Joseph on the throne at Madrid. This upheaval in the mother country was the signal for the revolt of the Spanish colonies in South America, "oppressed as they were," to quote a well-known writer, "by crushing taxes, commercial restrictions and grasping governors." And the restoration of the absolute Spanish king, following Napoleon's downfall in 1814, increased the movement of revolt in the colonies. San Martin and Simon Bolivar wrested province after province—Chile, the Argentine, Peru, Venezuela, New Granada (now Colombia)—from the Spanish autocracy and transformed South America into a land of Republican states. On May 4, 1822, President Monroe took the first step in the protection of these South American republics by formally recognising their independence and Congress immediately made provision for the despatch of ministers to their respective capitals. It is well known that this action of the United States was largely inspired by the decision of the "Holy Alliance"—consisting of the allied Powers of Russia, Prussia, Austria and France—to listen to Spain's request to subdue revolts in Madrid and re-chain South America to the Spanish autocracy in the interests of "legitimacy."

It is plain that neither Great Britain nor the United States could view with indifference the intervention of the then allied Powers in Europe for the purpose of re-subjecting the South American republics to Spanish absolutism. They had already, by 1822, built up a trade of several million dollars a year with Great Britain and "their market was too valuable a one to lose." And the United States government was troubled by the rumors that France would take Mexico and Russia would seize California with perhaps Chile and Peru as a reward for their services in crushing republicanism in the former Spanish colonies. In these circumstances the British Premier, George Canning, suggested to the American minister in London that the United States should join Great Britain in making a declaration to the Powers of the "Holy Alliance" not to interfere with the South American states. Monroe was anxious to act on Canning's suggestion, but Adams—his Secretary of State—declared that the United States ought not to follow Britain's lead, trailing "like a cockboat to a British man-of-war," but rather assume full and sole responsibility for the protection of the republics on the American continent. It was on his advice that the President included in his message to Congress the historic declaration that has been South America's charter of protection against the autocracies of Europe.

The message declared that the continents of the Western Hemisphere were "henceforth not to be considered as subjects for future colonisation by any European Powers;"—this was to prevent the encroachments of Russia on the Pacific coast and the designs of France on Mexico. After announcing the determination of the United States neither to meddle with the European systems of government nor to disturb the existing possessions of European Powers in the New World, it continued: "But we owe it to candor and to the amicable relations existing between the United States and those Powers to declare that we should consider any attempt on their part to extend their system [of the Holy Alliance] to any portion of this hemisphere as dangerous to our peace and safety." It will be seen that the Monroe Doctrine is not only a formula of protection, guaranteeing the territories of the South American republics against European invasion, but also an explicit declaration against the introduction into the Americas of the feudal system of the European autocracies. In other words, the Monroe Doctrine is a formula of democracy and affirms American rights to freedom from the absolutism that is still of Prussia and was yesterday of Russia. And in this sense it is true to say that the Wilsonian statement of the aims of American intervention in the war is at once a logical and wise development of the Monroe Doctrine. To make the world safe for democracy is to extend to Europe and Asia—including China—the political securities already enjoyed in principle by the American states under and by virtue of the Monroe Doctrine.

When, through the mouth of her special envoy, Japan proclaims "the application of the Monroe Doctrine to the Far East," does she enunciate the doctrine in the same sense in which an American would understand it when applied to a country like China, lately freed from the chains of Oriental autocracy and now included in the system of states created by American constitutional thought? President Monroe in effect told autocratic Europe that the destruction of republicanism in South America and the introduction of the feudal system of monarchical government would be dangerous to the peace and safety of the United States. In repeating the language of America's fundamental doctrine of democratic security, does Viscount Ishii mean that the disappearance of the Chinese Republic, to be followed by a monarchical restoration in China, would be "dangerous to the peace and safety" of Japan? Remembering that the land of the Mikado is more than an autocracy—it is a semi-theocracy—the absurdity of this view is instantly apparent. But if, in aping the language of American democracy, the Japanese envoy intended his New York audience to understand that he was applying to the Chinese Republic only the territorial protection enunciated in the Monroe Doctrine, the disingenuousness of his statement is equally clear. The doctrine was formulated by the American administration under pressure of the powers of the Holy Alliance, which, as has been seen, had practically decided to assist Spain to recover her lost colonies and appeared to have discussed a scheme of spoliation involving the transfer of some of the colonies of Russia and Mexico to France.

In the present case no Power or Powers other than Japan menace China. Not even the most sceptical can doubt the bona fides of the United States in its relations with this country; and it is impossible to conceive any situation arising that would tempt or force the American government to depart from its traditional policy of goodwill towards China. And since the outbreak of the war, no European Power—with the doubtful exception of the minor French action of Laoshikai—has done anything respecting China that could be construed in the sense of an intention to impair the territorial independence and integrity of the country.

The same, of course, cannot be said of Japan. The belief prevails that, in order mainly to entrench herself in the historic province of Shantung, she intervened in the war against the Central Powers and, according to responsible Chinese opinion, a situation is being created in the province which threatens to convert it into another South Manchuria. The Japanese occupation of Shantung was quickly followed by the presentation of the Twenty-One Demands under circumstances compromising the international good faith of Japan and likely to influence permanently Western opinion of Japanese policy in China. These Demands undoubtedly aimed at the serious impairment of Chinese sovereignty, formulated and directed as they were towards what the Chinese assert was the control of their entire public life. It is impossible to read the text of the demands and remain unconvinced of the reality of Japan's intention and policy to subject China to her domination. That this is the proper reading of the demarche is plain from the attempt made by the present Terauchi government to disavow the policy expressed in the demands when Viscount Motono addressed the Diet some months ago. But while this disavowal has been followed by an apparent change of method, the policy of the demands continues to be pursued in terms of a diplomacy characterised by no little subtlety and success. You see this in what is fast becoming a mot in responsible circles—the statement that Japan is now ruling China through Tuan Chi-jui, Tsao Ju-lin and the other men now in power in Peking.

Now, if it is true that China is menaced by neither America nor the European members of the Entente, and that Japan is the only Power whose policy finds expression in acts inconsistent with the independence and integrity of China, how are we to interpret this Japanese "application of the Monroe Doctrine to the Far East?" Unless Viscount Ishii's utterance was not intended to be a serious statement, the only explanation is that Japan means to work out her policy of dominating China without interference by the Western Powers. By expressing her policy in terms of the Monroe Doctrine, she hopes to disarm American opposition by the use of language understood by the average American as implying one of the deepest political beliefs of the American people.

Story Of Athlete Escaped From German Prisons

(From the London Daily Chronicle)

Georges Andre, the celebrated French athlete who was taken prisoner shortly after the outbreak of war, has escaped from Germany. He contributes to the Paris Journal an account of his captivity.

"During nearly three years," he said, "I was taken from one prisoners' camp to another. All the camps are alike, consisting of hutments, with tarred roofs, erected on sandy soil. Each camp is divided into sections by barbed wire. They are so depressing that long detention produces a peculiar mental disorder termed 'barbed wire phychosis.'

"These vast camps can accommodate 10,000 men, but not infrequently 60,000 are crowded into them. Work is compulsory, except for non-coms., who are, however, harried till they prefer work to camp routine.

"Food is very scarce, and the prisoners would perish of hunger if they did not receive biscuits from the French Government and parcels from their families or from prisoners' relief committees. From the Huns the prisoners receive only boiled herbs, with a scrap of margarine and occasionally a little barley, with a small ration of uneatable black pudding.

Burning Iron Ordeal

"I was astonished," continues Andre, "to hear everybody complain of the present bread when I reached France. It is cake compared with KK bread.

"When a prisoner arrives in a camp, he is immediately assigned to any work required, irrespective of personal attainment, and may be employed in mines, farms, or factories. The kommandos, or workmen's quarters, are worse than the camps.

"The harshest methods are employed to make the men work, the least harsh being deprivation of food. In some factories prisoners unwilling to work for the Huns are placed in hot rooms until they submit. Blows with the flat side of sabres or bayonets are too frequent to merit attention.

"I have seen the burns of a man compelled to remain at attention between two glowing masses of metal. The least movement brought him into contact with the burning iron. He heroically refused to work against France, and finally fell inanimate.

"Naturally the prisoners' health suffer. Tuberculosis is making ravages. There is little or no medicine. High temperature alone is regarded as proof of illness. The Huns require workers, not invalids. Nevertheless, the spirit of the prisoners remains excellent, though none of them expects the war to end within another eighteen months, and even then only on condition that France remains united and accepts restrictions as the enemy does.

"The prisoners' worst fate is to be sent to reprisal camps in Poland or on the fighting line. There he is exposed to death from starvation or shells. I know something about this from personal experience."

Conservation Of Babies Strikes Australia

By Frank Morton

(From the New Zealand Herald)

Australia, with its list of war-casualties constantly mounting, and its young men in no apparent desperate hurry to marry, is still concerned about the population problem. The Australian is casual, but he can see things when they are forced upon his attention insistently, and he begins to realise that he can never hope to hold Australia permanently with the present population. A diplomat from over-sea told me the other day that Australia could easily support a population of 50 millions. He said, "The present handful of Australians have no special right or title to the Continent, apart from such right as devolves on them under the general scheme of British dominion. You cannot ignore the fact that a large section of Australians is opposed to development. When such people talk about Australia for the Australians, they mean the whole continent for the few now resident, and that few dominated by the demagogues. The section is opposed to immigration, and holds that and considerable increase of population must serve to lower wages. People like that are beyond the reach of argument. Imagine what the position would be today if a couple of million English workers said, 'Great Britain is for Us. We shall oppoose all development that may threaten to interfere with Us. We should greatly love to see the population reduced to three millions.' That is the attitude of the raucous Australian, however, absurd it may seem. He stands on his right to hold a continent with a handful of people, who would just about make the population of a decent European city."

Babies Sacrificed

I have nd doubt that this man was right in his general view, and he certainly spoke with knowledge and authority. In any case, what he said is becoming in the main so obvious that Australians themselves are recognising it. They say "We must have more people, we need more people badly, and," vaguely, "we shall have more people—after the war." And a few wiser folk, some statisticians and many doctors among them retort, "Why not start on the good way now? Why not do something to check this appaling waste of babies?"

New Zealand is proved by statistics to be the healthiest and safest place on earth for a baby to be born in; and Australia, though it is behind New Zealand in that respect, ranks favorably against the older countries of the world. But there is nothing surprising in the fact that babies have a better chance of pulling through in Australia than they have in the congested centers of Europe and in the great British manufacturing towns. And there is genuine ground for surprise in the fact that the mortality of infants in Australia is as high as it proves to be. The figures show that a dreadfully large number of babies are sacrificed to—what? First of all, they are sacrificed to the ignorance of mothers. Poverty is a predisposing cause to infant mortality, but it is not nearly so great an influence for evil as one would expect it to be. But the mother who is ignorant of her own body and ignorant of her baby's needs is a problem; because pretty often her bady dies soon, even in those cases where it survives its birth.

New Type Of Girl

There is a new type of girl growing up amongst us and becoming multitudinous—the sort of girl who knows nothing about babies, and wants to know nothing. She makes herself agreeable to her friends, this girl; she is often the despair of callow-lovers; she looks pretty, and speaks sweetly, and is distinctly attractive to the male of her species; but for woman's great business and blessedness of motherhood she is not trained or fitted. She lies in bed in the morning, often till a doting foolish mother brings her breakfast. She does no housework of any sort. She does not sew or make her own clothes if she can help it. She works in an office or a shop, and gets a decent wage. On this she supports her state as princess. When she goes out there are always poor fools of men to pay her way. She goes out as much as possible. You will see her in her hundreds in Australia strolling along the seafront at favorite watering-places, sitting in theaters and picture shows, generally in the company of some sturdy young fellow who ought to be at the front. For this sort of girl has no patriotic conscience. So long as she has somebody to pay her compliments and buy her chocolates, she doesn't really care very much what happens to the Empire or the world. Her mind is, in any case, too shallow for these large ideas. She is a grasshopper, a little gaudy ephemeral thing; she is content to live her trumpery day as a trifling perishable instrument of pleasure that cloys. She does not care what sort of animal a man is so long as he gives her "a good time." And when she marries she has no children if she can help it; and if she does have children the mites are born handicapped; born with their death-warrants, as it were.

Infantile Mortality

That may seem to you to be put strongly, but it is not put strongly enough. I have been immersed in this sort of investigation for weeks past. I have collected a lot of information about the damsel who does not make a good mother, and a good deal of it is disquieting. It is found, for instance, that the percentage of infantile mortality is much higher in the case of mothers who are engaged in shops and factories than in that of mothers occupied in domestic duties. All the statistics clearly prove that the more women engage in business and professional callings more commonly followed by men—the more, that is to say, women go out into the world and compete against men for a living—the more the chances of survival of the baby are diminished. The percentage of premature births and of children stillborn is relatively far higher among mothers occupied outside their homes than among those who are domesticated. I do not argue from this that women should be household drudges, because that idea naturally repels one; but I do feel that the idea, steadily gaining acceptance among our girls, that household work is somehow menial or degrading is an injurious and shameful idea. The woman who works in her home works for herself and the one or two she loves best. She enjoys an independence that the woman who works for a stranger's wage cannot know. And all the records favor the assumption that her babies, as they come, will live and thrive.

For these reasons and others it seems that the State should pay more attention to domestic training in all its schemes for the education of young girls. Cookery and other items of domestic science should be taught in schools, and not merely dabbled with. And one supposes that girls might be taught necessary things as to the physiology and dispositions of infants. In Australia such lessons are needed badly. We have excellent medical men interested in the subject; but we have no Truby King—no man with just the platform skill and driving persistent energy that are required in the leader of this crusade. We need in Australia to have a score of such enlightened leaders. It is time that we got rid of false shame and false modesty in this regard. It is still considered shocking to allude in the presence of a bride to the babies he may have by-and-by. For the life of me I can't see why it should be shocking, but all the old ladies in trousers, and the dear old Pharisees in skirts, outvote me, and what am I among so many?

War Time Wallops

"Stockholm!" cry the Socialists. "Stick home," their Governments all reply.—*New York Sun.*

One consolation: Being a slacker is a far greater disgrace than being in prison.—*Leavenworth (Federal Prison) New Era.*

Why are we proving all over again that Germany started the war? Had somebody said it was Siam?—*Kansas City Star.*

President Wilson's embargo has Sweden worrying over how she and Germany are going to eat next winter.—*New York World.*

Russia is sound at the core, reassures Mr. Root. But if the Russians don't check the Teuts there "won't be no core."—*Chicago Tribune.*

Germany is learning rapidly that it doesn't pay to assume that mankind is divided into class—Germans and fools.—*New York Morning Telegraph.*

An intelligent commentator on German affairs remarks that Germany could fight a defensive war for fifty years—if the people would furnish the soldiers.—*Chicago Daily News.*

The Kaiser told Ambassador Gerard that he would remember the United States after the close of the war, and there is every reason to believe he will keep his word.—*New York Morning Telegraph.*

Stated otherwise, the purport of Deputy Loringhoven's speech to the Reichstag is that the German troops gloriously tipped over the cart, but the Allies feloniously prevented their taking the apples.—*New York World.*

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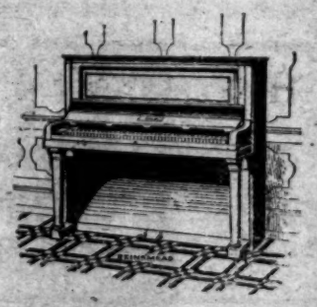

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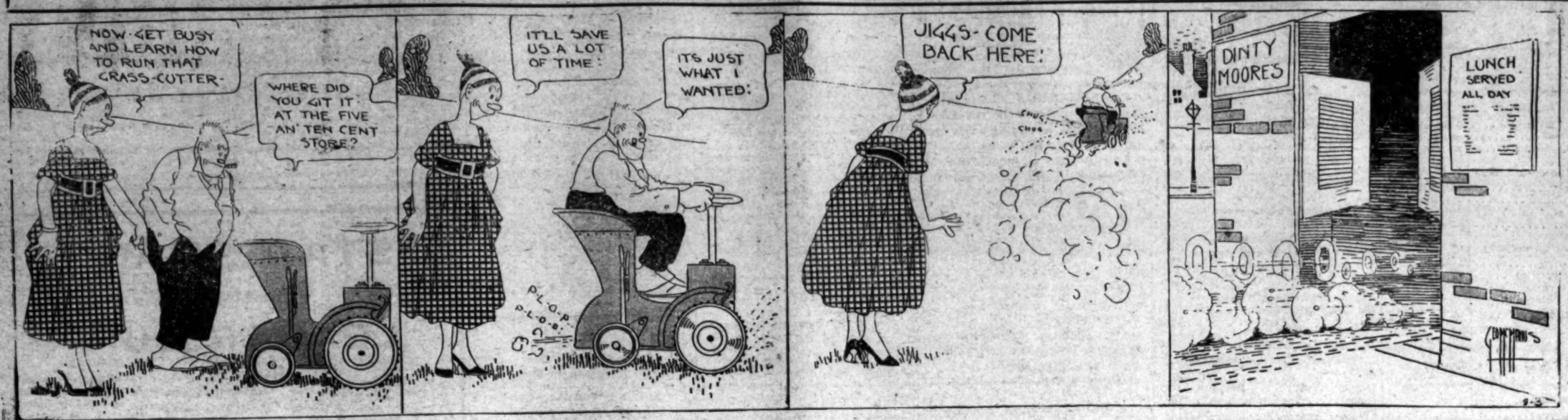
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Millinery Styles For Coming Season

New York, September 1.—The first, faint notes of the Winter styles are sounded at this season of the year. Millinery, the acknowledged herald of advance fashions, is at its crest. First, a blocked felt walking hat creeps into public view, and, following closeby, come all the ravishing variations of the season's mode. A little tremblingly they make their first appearances, for none can tell beforehand which will be chosen for the popular favorite.

In one shop dwells a black chiffon velvet chapeau made after the mold of a soldier's hat. Of course, the brim is a trifle broader, to make it more femininely becoming, but the velvet crown is gored and blocked just like a military hat. It is a rakish bit of millinery, with only a gold officer's cord for trimming, but it has an air that is indescribable. And this same designer is partial to the crushed crown for velvet hats, both toques and broad brimmed picture affairs. They are crowns so artfully cut and sewed and shaped that, without inside stiffening of any sort, they drape themselves at a touch of the hand to suit the wearer's particular type of beauty. So adaptable are these crowns, indeed, that they can be adjusted to a passing mood. Is it of a devilish turn?—then, whisk! the crown takes on that very expression. But, if the affairs of the moment simulate a sweet and demure expression, then this obliging crown becomes, in like manner, demure.

New Silhouette Simple

Simplicity is the keynote of the Fall silhouette, especially so far as hats are concerned. Trimmings are conspicuous by their absence, and when they appear at all it is an infinitesimal quantity and in a humble mood. Three tiny buttons on a hat of vast proportions, or a soft fold of ribbon of the same color as the hat—preferably a dark color if one would be really smart and up to the moment.

Ostrich bids fair to be a popular trimming for hats, and well it may be, for the time is long since these feathered trimmings have been in the limelight. There are cunning little whirls of curled feathers; there are fringes hanging over the eyes and running entirely around the brim; there are whole long, gracefully-curled feathers, reaching aloft to a point far above the turban's foundation.

One idea is new about a beautiful hat in this season of broadcast economy talk. Let it be smart enough, and plain enough, and it is good on its wearer's head from early morning until late at night whether she be attending a business conference or a society function. Some times it looks as if experts were really helping women to eliminate useless hours of dressing and re-dressing and dressing again. But this is only a vague hope—a distant, fair illusion.

Showing Of American-Made Fabrics

In New York during the past week there was held an exhibition of gowns made from American materials. There is no denying the fact that here lies an open field. There were some very handsome materials used in the gowns at this show, and the whole attempt served undoubtedly to stimulate the use of American manufactured goods.

Sumptuous velvets, rich in coloring, were used to a large extent. On one evening cape of brown velvet, gored at the top to form low, drooping and closefitting shoulders, a conventional Batick design was done in a tan yellow at the line separating the yoke from the loose, flowing folds of the lower part of the cape. The lining of thick, white satin helped the general effect of luxuriousness. There were other gowns of velvet decorated in Batick and wood-blocked dyeing—one for evening in beautiful shades of rose and pink with surprising touches of old gold and green—another for afternoon in tones of olive green satin and velvet relieved by glittering red, half-hidden spots here and there.

The bustle gown has been launched upon the fitful waves of fashion. One of dull blue velvet with tightly fitting bodice buttoning closely down the front and with beautifully fitted skin-tight sleeves, has a draped skirt, narrow at the feet, and puffed out at the back at just the proper angle. There isn't a sign of trimming anywhere around, but the silhouette is a ravishing thing, new enough to be attractive and artistic enough to be, as it would seem, loudly welcomed.

An extremely low cut evening gown of gold and black brocade has a skirt with regular butterfly wings draped just below the waistline at the back, giving full scope to the bustle idea. The flare and the sweep of this creation are wonderful to behold.

Fabrics for the Winter promise to be much less striking and brilliant in color than they have been for several seasons. In the lead are dark blue, taupe, olive drab, and purple, for clothes, it has been said, interpret the mental condition of the population. We have not, to be sure, begun to weep and wail, but we have reached the dark blue and purple stage of grieving for the near presence of those who have left our hearths and homes.

Velours and broadcloths bid fair to be the popular fabrics for coats and suits and dresses. Alas, the retail prices of these necessary materials have soared and soared until now there is no reaching them at all! But, as a silver lining, comes the news that there will be but little material used in the smart Winter things. Skirts are narrow and straight, gowns and coats have the same scant tendencies. No fullness unless it is absolutely necessary is the word that has gone forth as law.

Fur Trimming Is Prominent

The furs that trim are to be of the short-haired variety even unto rabbit skins. A peacock suit, made with a fur collar of this close-cropped sort of fur, has a collar which extends into a facing for the coat reaching down the front, for a width of five inches or so, all the way to the lower edge. It is an added bit of warmth and most certainly an added touch of chic.

There are to be more fur bands for the bottoms of coats, and wide folding fur collars with deep fur cuffs. There are trim little shoulder capes of moleskin and its allied furs, trimmed sometimes with a standing collar of puffy fox or with an all-around band of, say, ermine. In fact, fur will be largely used on all the Winter suits and coats, as well as on one-piece dresses, a few of which have already begun to make their appearance at fashionable gatherings.

All Over The World

Admiral Colville has a good story to tell of a breakfast, eaten under water in the Dardanelles, which deserves to take its place among all other good breakfast-table stories and for all time. A submarine was proceeding up the Straits when the captain happened to notice through the periscope that a floating mine had attached itself to the rudder. He imparted the information to the lieutenant, and they agreed not to tell the crew but to have breakfast and consider what was best to be done. In twenty minutes plan for removing the mine was matured. The plan succeeded.

Aphorisms were not wanting in the speech which M. Clemenceau pronounced, recently, in the Senate. Parliaments, he said, at one point, I believe to be the greatest organ ever invented for making political mistakes. but they have the advantage of lending themselves to correction, as soon as the country desires reform. Parliamentarianism, with all its faults, and they are legion, has great qualities. It is more easily improved upon than monarchism. He had hoped, he said, further on, that France and England would have been able to master Germany in the biggest victory that the world had ever known. But the situation was thus: all organisation and no honor, and all honor and not sufficient organisation.

"Board train here at night," says a Chicago contemporary in a large headline, "and wake up to hear the roar of Niagara in the morning." Or, one may board a train at Niagara at night, and wake up to hear the roar of Chicago in the morning. In either case, the experience is one not to be soon forgotten.

Predictions of the end of the world, exhaustion of the coal supply in a certain number of years, the disappearance of oxygen from the air, and various other calamities which never come to pass, are often recalled and properly classified as utter nonsense. The latest report which may be placed in this category is that the gasoline supply is fast approaching the vanishing point. No less a person than A. C. Bedford, present of the Standard Oil Company, is reported as having said that the United States is using more gasoline than it is producing, and that possibly automobiling for pleasure will have to be curtailed.

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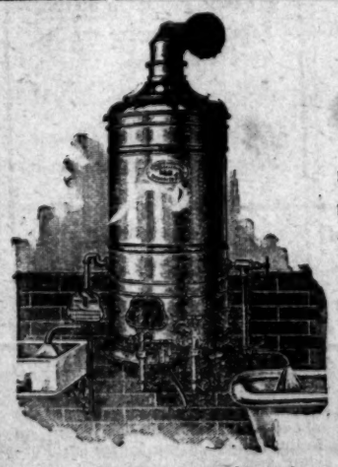

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Yesterday's Prices

STOCK	Quotations Closing
Banks	
H. K. and S. B.	$585 Sa.
Chartered	£64 10s.
Russo-Asiatic	R. 250
Marine Insurances	
Canton	Tls. 320
North China	Tls. 105
Union of Canton	Tls. 760
Yangtsze	$200 B.
Fire Insurances	
China Fire	$130
Hongkong Fire	Tls. 290 B.
Shipping	
Indo-China Pref	Tls. 100
Indo-China Def	
"Shell"	107s. 6d.
Shanghai Tug (o)	Tls. 16 B.
Shanghai Tug (f)	Tls. 46½ S.
Kochien	Tls. 34 Sa.
Mining	
Kaiping	Tls. 9 B.
Oriental Cons	27s. 6d.
Philippine	Tls. 0.80
Raub	$2½ S.
Docks	
Hongkong Dock	$115
Shanghai Dock	Tls. 71½ B.
New Eng. Works	Tls. 12½ Sa.
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf	Tls. 62½
Hongkong Wharf	Tls. 75 B.
Lands and Hotels	
Anglo French Land	Tls. 81
China Land	Tls. 50
Shanghai Land	Tls. 71 B.
Weihaiwei Land	Tls. 3
Shanghai Hotels Ltd	$9 B.
China Realty (ord)	Tls. 50
China Realty (pref)	Tls. 50
Cotton Mills	
E-wo	Tls. 160 B.
E-wo Pref	Tls. 90
International	Tls. 85 B.
International (pref.)	Tls. 64
Laou-kung-mow	Tls. 60 B.
Oriental	Tls. 34 Sa.
Shanghai Cotton	Tls. 112 B.
Kung Yik	Tls. 15 Sa.
Yangtszepoo	Tls. 5½ Sa.
Yangtszepoo Pref	Tls. 90
Industrials	
Bulter Tile	Tls. 23
China Sugar	$87 S.
Green Island	Tls. 7 B.
Langkats	Tls. 13½ Sa.
Major Bros	Tls. 5
Shanghai Sumatra	Tls. 100
Stores	
Hall and Holtz	$14 B.
Llewellyn	$60
Lane, Crawford	$100
Moutrie	$35
Watson	$6 S.
Weeks	Tls. 14¼ S.
Rubbers (Local)	
Alma	Tls. 10 Sa.
Amherst	Tls. 1 S.
Anglo-Java	Tls. 9.90 B.
Anglo-Dutch	Tls. 4½ Sa.
Ayer Tawah	Tls. 28 B.
Batu Anam 1913	Tls. 0.95 B.
Bukit Toh Alang	Tls. 3½ B.
Bute	Tls. 0.95 B.
Chemor United	Tls. 1.17½ B.
Chempedak	Tls. 10 B.
Cheng	Tls. 2.20
Consolidated	Tls. 2.65 B.
Dominion	Tls. 9½ B.
Gula Kalumpong	Tls. 6.60 B.
Java Consolidated	Tls. 18 B.
Kamunting	Tls. 5½ B.
Kapala	Tls. 0.90
Kapayang	Tls. 27½
Karan	Tls. 11¾
Kota Bahroes	Tls. 6.85 B.
Kroewoek Java	Tls. 16 B.
Padang	Tls 12¼ B.
Pengkalan Durian	Tls. 9 S.
Permata	Tls. 3
Repah	Tls. 0.95 Sa.
Samagagas	Tls. 0.80 B.
Seekee	Tls. 7¾
Semambu	Tls. 1.20 B.
Senawang	Tls. 13¼ B.
Shanghai Klebang	Tls. 0.80 B.
Shanghai Malay	Tls. 7 B.
S'hai Malay-pref	Tls. 11.10 Sa.
Shanghai Pahang	Tls. 1.60 B.
Sungala	Tls. 1.55
Sungei Duri	Tls. 11½
Sua Manggis	Tls. 5¾ B.
S'hai Kalantan	Tls. 0.92½
Shanghai Seremban	Tls. 0.70 B.
Taiping	Tls. 1½ Sa.
Tanah Merah	Tls. 1.12½ Sa
Tebong	Tls. 18½ Sa.
Ulbori	Tls. 2½
Ziangbe	Tls. 5 B.
Miscellaneous	
C. I. and E. Lumber	Tls. 110
Culty Dairy	Tls. 8½ S.
S'hai Elec. and Asb	$2
Shanghai Trams	Tls. 61½ B.
Shanghai Gas	Tls. 24
Horse Bazaar	Tls. 30
Shanghai Mercury	Tls. 30
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Exchange and Bullion

Shanghai, October 8, 1917.

Money And Bullion

	Tls.
Gold Dollars Bank's buying rate	
@ 98=Tls.	1.02
@ 72.5=Mex.	$1.40
Mex. dollars Market rate	72.175
Bar Silver	—
Copper Cash	1787
Sovereigns:	
Buying rate @ 4/1=Tls.	4.89
exch. @ 72.5=Mex.	$6.75
Peking Bar	—
Native Interest	.08

Latest London Quotations

Bar Silver	46d.
Bank Rate of Discount	5%
Market rate of discount:—	
3 m-s.	%
4 m-s.	%
6 m-s.	%
Exchange on Shanghai, 60 d-s.	
Ex. Paris on London Fr.	27.41
Ex., N. Y. on London T.T. $	476⅛
Consols £	—

Exchange Closing Quotations

London	T.T.	4/1
London	Demand	4/1⅛
India	(nominal) T.T.	286
Paris	T.T.	562
Paris	Demand	563
New York	T.T.	97
New York	Demand	97⅛
Hongkong	(nominal) T.T.	69
Japan	T.T.	52⅛
Batavia	T.T.	239½

Banks Buying Rates

London	4 m-s. Cdts.	4/3
London	4 m-s. Docy.	4/3⅛
London	6 m-s. Cdts.	4/3⅛
London	6 m-s. Docy.	4/3⅛
Paris	4 m-s.	584
New York	4 m-s.	101⅛

Customs House Exchange Rates For September

1k. Tls. 3.95 @ 4/6⅛			£1
" 1 @ 626½	=	Francs	6.98
" 1	No quotation	Marks	†5.69
" 0.83 @ 108½		Gold	$1
" 1 @ 47½		Yen	2.36
" 1 @ 15		Rupees	3.81
" 1 @ 606		Roubles	6.68
" 1 @ 1.50		Mex.	$1.50

† Nominal.

Stock Exchange Transactions

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS

Shanghai, October 8, 1917.

Official

H'kong and S'hai Banks $585.00
Kochien Tugs Tls. 34.00
Langkats Tls. 13.50
New Eng. Tls. 12.50
Oriental Cotton Tls. 34.00
Yangtszepoo Cotton (ord.) Tls. 5.50
Shanghai Malays (pref.) Tls. 11.10
Taipings Tls. 1.50
Tanah Merah Tls. 1.02½
Kungyik Cotton Tls. 15.00
Almas Tls. 10.00

Unofficial

Kochien Tugs Tls. 35.00 October
Kungyik Cotton Tls. 15.00
Anglo Dutch Tls. 4.50
Taipings Tls. 1.50
Repah Tls. 0.95

Sharebrokers' Association Transactions

BUSINESS DONE

Shanghai, October 8, 1917.

Unofficial

Taipings @ Tls. 1.50 cash
Chengs @ Tls. 2.15 cash

LANGKAT DAILY OUTPUT

The following telegraphic information has been received by the general agent from the Sumatra director and manager of the Maatschappij tot Mijn-Bosch-en Landbouwexploitatie in Langkat:

"The outputs of crude oil for October 5 and 6 were 78 tons each day."

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Actual output for nine months=986,743 lbs.

Estimated output 1917=1,370,000 lbs.

Already delivered=537,666 lbs. at 2s. 6¼d.

Sold forward October, 1917 to March, 1918=404,320 lbs. at 2s. 7¼d.

Unsold (Estimated Balance)=428,014 lbs.

1918 Crop.

Sold forward April/December, 1918=271,040 lbs. at 2s. 8d.

London Rubber Market

Reuter's Service

London, October 6.—Today's rubber prices were:—

Plantation First Latex Crepe: Spot: 2s. 8¼d. Paid.

January-March: 2s. 10⅛d. Value. Tendency of Market: Idle.

Previous Quotation, London, October 5:—

Spot: 2s. 9d. Paid.

January-March: 2s. 11d. Paid.

Tendency of Market: Firm. Stock in London and Liverpool, 13,703 tons.

BAR SILVER

Reuter's Service

London, October 4.—Today's silver prices were:—

Bar Silver Spot: 46¾d. Quiet.

Previous Quotation, London, October 3:—

Bar Silver Spot: 47¼d. Quiet.

London, October 5, (delayed).—Today's silver prices were:—

Bar Silver Spot: 46¾d. Rather more offering; Buyers reserved. Tone dull.

Previous Quotation, London, October 6:—

Bar Silver Spot: 46d. Dull.

London, October 6.—Today's silver prices were:—

Bar Silver Spot: 46⅝d. Dull.

Previous Quotation, London, October 4:—

Bar Silver Spot: 46¾d. Quiet.

COMMERCIAL CABLES

Reuter's Service

London, Oct. 5.—Today's rates, prices and deliveries were:—

Consols 2½% for account	£55¼
Cheques on London at Paris	Fr. 27.18
T.T. on London at New York	G.$4.76⅛
Bar Silver (Spot)	46¼d.
Bank of England Rate of Discount	5%
Market rate of Discount	4 1/16%
Cotton; Egyptian F. G. F. Sakellarides	32.50d.
Cotton; M. G. Fine Scinde and Bengal	16.90d.
Cotton; Goodmiddling Americans	19.82d.
Plantation Rubber October	2s. 9d. Paid.
Hornsby's 8¼ lb. Shirtings	17s. 9d.
Calverts 10 lb. Shirtings	23s. 9d.
Taylor's 40s. Yarn	29d.

Price of Common to Low Medium Tea fixed 11 pence to shilling.

U. K. METAL MARKET

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London, Oct. 5.—Today's metal prices were:—

	£	s.	d.
Standard Copper G. M. B. f. o. b.	125	0	0
American Electroytic 99 90% Copper f.o.b.	130	0	0
Lead L. B. c.i.f. per ton.	Nominal		
Soft Lead "Spanish" f.o.b.	30	0	0
Quicksilver, Second hand Ex Warehouse f.o.b. (1s. Extra in flask) Nom...	20	10	0
Muntz Metal, f.o.b. London or Liverpool (less 1%)	Nominal		
Standard Tin (Cash)	246	0	0
Spelter (ordy soft) f.o.b.	52	0	0
Galvanised Sheets 24 Gange f.o.b.	26	5	0
Standard Tin (3 Months)	243	7	6
Silk Price of Blue Elephant	22s. 0d. to 22s. 6d.		
Silk Price of Gold Kiling	19s. 0d. to 19s. 6d.		

Vessels To Arrive

From London
Katori Maru ..... Oct. 16
Kamo Maru ..... Oct. 30
From San Francisco
Venezuela ..... Oct. 20
From Tacoma
Chicago Maru ..... Nov. 8
From Seattle
Yokohama Maru ..... Oct. 10

OUST THE HOUSE FLY BY COLORING LIGHT

Insects Revel In White, But Will Flee In Dismay From Blue

The eyes of the house fly perceive satisfactorily only white light, the simple colors of the spectrum having practically no effect, especially violet, red, blue and green. The last two, while slightly perceived, exert a repellent effect on the house fly.

This, C. Galaine and C. Houlbert have proved; they publish the result of their experiments in the Journal de Medecine de Paris, which is quoted by the New York Medical Journal. More, the house fly's eyes most clearly perceive yellow and orange of all the spectral colors. Into a room with a single window fitted with light blue panes many flies were attracted through the open window by means of odoriferous substances. One pane had been hinged to admit white light at will. Upon closing the window the flies were observed to become at first somewhat restless and soon after to settle down as in darkness.

"When a beam of white light was admitted, they promptly escaped through the white light. Green panes gave the same results. With yellow panes not quite as many left the room when the white light was admitted.

"Thus, in rooms or halls lighted from one side only, as is often the case in hospitals, private dwellings, factories, shops, etc., flies can be got rid of by using blue panes hinged at intervals. Flies will not enter such premises; any that have entered while the windows have been open will either come to rest or quickly escape through the movable pane when the windows are closed. In rooms lighted from more than one side the blue windows should be opened on only one side at a time.

"Flies observing the blue light within will not enter, or will soon turn back and out again. Blue windows are also advantageous in keeping out heat rays in the warm season. As they cut down the light somewhat, a mixture of blue with green, yellow and even red panes, arranged in mosaic form if desired, is to be preferred. Such a mixture will give results practically identical with those from exclusively blue panes.

To increase the efficacy of the outlet panes in a badly lighted room, a convex mirror should be so placed outside as to throw into the room a divergent pencil of white light; the flies, as they enter this pencil, are aspirated, as it were, to the outside.

RUMANIAN CROPS BIG

Paris, August 27.—A Swiss correspondent informs me that the Rumanian harvest has been very successful. Extra sidings have been built at Munich to accommodate wheat trains from Wallachia.—*Daily Mail.*

Winnipeg, August 27.—The wheat crop throughout the western prairies is advancing fast. The heads are well filled. The crop is about the average.

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News Brevities

A general meeting of the reading circles of the American Woman's Club will be held this morning at the home of Mrs. Holcomb, 12 Whangpoo Road, at ten o'clock, when plans will be made for the Winter's work. There will be three reading circles formed for the study of "American Literature," "Thirty Books of Great Fiction" and "Masterpieces of the World's Literature." The next regular meeting of the club will be held Tuesday, October 16, when Dr. Arthur Stanley will give a lecture on "Chinese Wood Carving."

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Captain H. J. Hobbs, one of the coast line skippers of Butterfield and Swire, has been engaged by the American government to take to America the German steamer Anhui, which had been interned at Manila. Captain Hobbs last year commanded one of the British Admiralty colliers in the Persian Gulf.

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Shanghai people will be interested to know that a letter from Captain "Paddy" Miller, former secretary of the Merchant Service Club here, who is now in the British Admiralty Transport Service, gives news of the fact that Duncan Ferguson, a former Yangtsze River pilot, was on the ship that saved most of the crew of the torpedoed ship Ariadne. One of the two torpedoes aimed at the Ariadne nearly hit Mr. Ferguson's ship, says Capt. Miller's letter to Captain W. J. Eisler of the Standard Oil Company.

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Mr. George Mollison, of the Shanghai Waterworks Co., Ltd., has received a cablegram telling of the death on the French front of his son, Sergeant George C. Mollison of the 34th Battery, Royal Field Artillery. Young Mr. Mollison was only 20 years old.

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The sum of £600 was realised for the British Royal Flying Corps Hospital by the recent gala given by the Cricket Club.

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The death in action of Captain H. M. McGhee of the 11th Cameronians, formerly of Shewan, Tomes and Co., has been confirmed. He was killed on May 9. He had first been reported killed and then missing, but it is now definitely known that he is dead.

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Manager.

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Battambang	Hongkong	Shanghai
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Haiphong	Papeete	
Jankoou	Pnom-Penh	

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L. ARDAIN,
Manager.

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Paid-up Capital ..... Frs. 30,000,000

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President:
JEAN JADOT
Governor Societe Generale de Belgique.

Bankers:
London: Martin's Bank, Ltd.
Brussels: Societe Generale de Belgique.
Antwerp: Banque d'Anvers.
Paris: Banque de l'Union Parisienne, Societe Annoyme.
Lyons and Marseilles: Comptoir National d'Escompte d'Paris.
New York: National City Bank of New York.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts Taels and fixed deposits according to arrangements.

Every description of banking and exchange business transacted.

M. DEMETS,
Manager for China.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Paid-up Capital $15,000,000

Reserve Funds:—
Sterling, £1,500,000 @ 2s. $15,000,000
Silver 18,500,000
$33,500,000

Reserve liability of Proprietors $15,000,000

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London Bankers:
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Sub-Agency: 9 Broadway.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and on Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.

Local Bills Discounted

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A. G. STEPHEN.
Manager.

Russo-Asiatic Bank

	Roubles.
Capital (fully-paid)	55,000,000
Reserve Fund	26,960,000
	Kpg. Tls.
Capital Contributed by the Chinese Government ...	3,500,000
Reserve Fund	1,750,000

Head office: Petrograd.
Paris Office: 9, Rue Boudreau.
London Office: 64, Old Broad St. E.C.

Bankers:
London: Messrs. Glyn, Mills, Currie & Co.
Paris: Societe Generale pour favoriser le Development de Commerce et de l'Industrie en France. Banque de Paris et des Pays-Bas.
Lyons: Societe Generale pour favoriser le Development du Commerce et de l'Industrie en France.

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Subscribed and paid up Capital ..... H.$1,371,500
Reserve Fund ..... H.$ 120,000
Investment reserve fund... H.$ 20,000

Head Office:
No. 6 Des Voeux Road, Hongkong

Shanghai Office:
No. 2 Ningpo Road.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

C. C. WONG,
Asst. Manager.

The Bank of China

(Specially authorised by Presidential Mandate of 15th April, 1915)

Authorised Capital ... $60,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital:
Chinese Government 10,000,000.00
Chinese Mercantile Community. 2,312,500.00
$12,312,500.00
Reserve Fund 1,892,564.85

Head Office: Peking.
Branches and Agencies:
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SUNG HAN-CHANG,
Manager.

Banque Industrielle de Chine

Capital ..... Francs 45,000,000
One-third of the Capital, i. e. Frs. 15,000,000, subscribed by THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CHINESE REPUBLIC

Statutes approved by the Government of the Chinese Republic on January 11, 1913.

President, Andre Berthelot.
General Manager, A. J. Pernotte.

Head Office
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BANKERS:
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Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Savings accounts in Gold and Local currency.

G. LION,
Manager.
1, French Bund, Shanghai.

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Head Office: Yokohama, Japan.

Capital Subscribed ... Yen 48,000,000
Capital Paid-up ..... „ 36,000,000
Reserve Fund ..... „ 22,100,000

London Bankers:
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Dalny	Mukden	Sydney
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K. KODAMA, Manager.

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Paid-Up Capital ..... $ 300,000.00
Reserve ..... $ 10,000.00
Deposits (June, 30, 1917) $1,590,000.00

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Credits granted on approved securities. Bills discounted.

Current accounts in both taels and dollars with interest, may be opened on application.

Particulars of interest allowed on fixed deposits, in both taels and dollars, will be furnished on request.

K. P. CHEN,
General Manager.

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Undivided Profits... U.S. $1,348,000.00
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Colon	Medellin	Macoris
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Hankow	Panama	Singapore
		Tientsin
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Guilders 60,000,000 (about £5,000,000)
Reserve Fund—
Guilders 11,595,461 (about £966,288)

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Head Agency: BATAVIA

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Bandoeng	Palembang	Tebing-Tinggi
Cheribon	Pekalongan	Tegal
Dejember	Penang	Telok-Betong
Djokjakarta	Pontianak	Tjilatjap
Hongkong	Rangoon	Weltevreden
Kota-Radja	Semarang	
Langsa	Singapore	
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Medan		

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Shanghai Interest allowed on current tael accounts and fixed deposits, according to arrangement.

B. G. J. WYNBERG.
Manager.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

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Head Office: SHANGHAI

Subscribed Capital Sh. Tls. 5,000,000
Paid-up Capital...Sh. Tls. 2,500,000

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Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance. On Fixed deposits:

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For 6 months at 4% per annum.
For 12 months at 5% per annum.

On Deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

H. C. MARSHALL,
Chief Manager.

The Mercantile Bank of India, Ltd.

Authorised Capital £1,500,000
Subscribed Capital 1,125,000
Paid-up Capital 562,500
Reserve Fund 600,000

Head Office, 15 Gracechurch Street London, E. C.

London Bankers:
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London Joint Stock Bank, Ltd.

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	Singapore	

Shanghai Branch.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Tael Current Accounts at 2% per annum and on Fixed Deposits at rates which may be ascertained on application.

R. D. YOUNG,
Manager.
7 Nanking Road.

BANK OF COMMUNICATIONS

Specially authorized by Presidential Mandates of April 7, 1914 and October 31, 1915.

Paid up Capital: Kunping Taels 10,000,000

Head Office: Peking.
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SHANGHAI BRANCH

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CHAO CHING HUA,
Manager.

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SHANGHAI BRANCH.
No. 1 Kiukiang Road

Capital ..... Yen 30,000,000
Capital (Paid-up) .... Yen 18,750,000
Reserve ..... Yen 1,470,000
Deposits ..... Yen 120,000,000

President, Baron K. Sumitomo

Head Office: OSAKA.

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Manager.
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Tel. No. 4663 (Compradore Office).

中 孚 銀 行 Chung Foo Union Bank

Statutes approved by the Government in 1916
Head Office: Tientsin
Capital $2,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital $1,000,000.00

Managing Director: SUN TAO SAN

Branches and Agencies:

Tientsin	Chinkiang
Shanghai	Soochow
Peking	Wusieh
Hankow	Hangchow
Nanking	Ningpo
Yangchow	Shaohsing
Hsuchow	Canton
Pengpu	Hongkong
Tsingkianpu	

Shanghai Branch
111, Ningpo Road

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.

Credits granted on approved securities.

Y. R. SUN
Manager
W. D. ZAR,
Sub-manager

Vessels In Harbor And At Woosung

Arrived	From	Ship's Name	Tons	Flag	Agents	Berth
Nov 14	Hankow	Albeng*	1769	Ger	Carlowitz	U2
Aug 4	Hongkong	Bohemia†	6282	Aus.	Aus. Lloyd	B VII
Aug 5	Hongkong	China†	8468	Aus.	Aus. Lloyd	SWoS
Sept 27	Japan	Chinese Prince	3019	Br.	Dowell & Co.	BIII
Oct 7		Capto		Nor.		
Oct 7	Japan	Chikugo maru	1446	Jap.	N. Y. K.	NIKW
Oct 7	Hankow	Chungking	1311	Br.	B. & S.	CNWP
Aug 8	Hongkong	D. Bickmer*	3654	Ger.	H. D. & Co	UBA
Dec 27	Yankins	Fortuna*		Norweg	H. J. & Co	U8
Oct 3	Japan	Fuisan maru	1370	Jap.	M. B. K.	WTW
Oct 4	Hankow	Hunglee	602	Chi.	Tuck Wo	NSW
Oct 6	Chefoo	Hsinming	1428	Chi.	C.M.S.N.Co.	KLYW
Sept 25	Keelung	Irmgard	614	Am.		ODW
Oct 2	Chefoo	Irene	538	Chi.	C.M.S.N.Co.	KLYW
Oct 6	Chefoo	Kingsing	1223	Br.	J. M. & Co,	SHW
Sept 19	Hankow	Luenho	1520	Br.	J. M. & Co	S II
Oct 7	Hankow	Loongwo	2863	Br	J. M. & Co.	HW
July 16	Hankow	Meidai*	1881	Ger.	Melcher	U8
July 30	Hankow	Meller*	1682	Ger	Melcher	U8
Oct 8	Tsingtao	Nagasaki maru	3343	Jap.	Suzuki & Co.	LPDOW
Oct 4	Japan	Niigata maru	1168	Jap.	N. Y. K.	ONW
Oct 7		Nagaragawa maru		Jap.		
Oct 7	Hankow	Nanyang maru	1968	Jap.	N.K.K.	NYKW
Sept 27	Cruise	Pacific	727	Dan	G. N. T. Co	7 p
Oct 2	Chinwangtao	Prefens	1678	Br.	K.M.A.	KMAW
July 30	Tsingtao	Silkia*	1840	Ger.	H. A. L.	U8
July 30	Hongkong	Silesia†	3818	Aus.	Aus Lloyd	9 12
Oct 4	Cruise	Store Nordiske	506	Dan	G.-N. T. Co.	9 p
Oct 6	Hongkong	Sunning	1570	Br.	B. & S.	CNW
Oct 7	Tientsin	Shuntien	1082	Br.	B. & S.	CNCW
Oct 1	Hankow	Tachi maru	1878	Jap.	N.K.K.	KND
Oct 6	Hankow	Tungting	1264	Br.	B. & S.	CNW
Oct 7	Japan	Wakanoura maru	1495	Jap.	N. Y. K.	

*Taken over by the Chinese Government on March 14.
†Taken over by the Chinese Government on August 14.

Men-of-War In Port

Section	Date	From	Name	Flag and Rating	Tons	Guns	Man	Commander
B I	Oct. 5	Curise	Brooklyn	Am cru.				
BNB	Apr. ..		Decidee	Fr g-b.	680	10	..	
Int. DW	Apr. ..		D de Lagree	Fr g-b.		..	..	
B J	Aug. 26	Curise	Kinsha	Br. g-b.	160	6	..	
ODW	Sept. 24	do	Monocacy	Am g-b.				
P&OB	Apr. 14		Samar	Am g-b.	243	4	38	Brown
P&OB	Aug. 6	Curise	Villalobas	Fr. g-b.				
B J	Aug. 24	Curise	Woodcock	Br g-b	150	..	..	

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Future Sailings

FOR AMERICA AND CANADA

Date	Time	Destination	Ship's Name	Flag	Agents
Oct 13		San Francisco	Colombia	Am.	P.M.S.S.Co
" 13	7.00*	Victoria B.C. & Seattle	Inaba maru	Jap.	N.Y.K
" 18		San Francisco	Siberia maru	Jap.	Alexander
" 20	"	San Francisco	Pangan	Sia.	E.A.Co.
" 29	"	San Francisco	Tenyo maru	Jap.	Alexander

FOR JAPAN PORTS

Oct 9	5.00*	Nagasaki, Moji & Kobe	Chikugo maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
" 11	7.00*	Moji, Kobe & Osaka	Kasuga maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
" 12	3.00	Nagasaki	Penza	Rus.	R.V.F.
" 13	9.00*	Nagasaki, Moji and Kobe	Harunaki maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
" 13	7.00*	Kobe	Inaba maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
" 15	"	Kobe and Yokohama	Colombia	Am	P.M.S.S.Co.
" 16	"	Nagasaki, Moji & Kobe	Hakusan maru	Jap	N.Y.K
" 18	"	Nagasaki, Kobe & Yokohama	Siberia maru	Jap.	Alexander
" 10	"	Nagasaki, Moji & Kobe	Omi maru	Jap.	N.Y.K
" 26	"	Kobe	Kaga maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
" 26	"	Nagasaki, Moji and Kobe	Yamashiro maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.

FOR EUROPE, INDIA, STRAITS, ETC.

Oct 13	7.00*	Liverpool via ports	Kitano maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
" 14	"	London etc.	Shidzuoka maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
" 14	"	S'pore & Bangkok via Ports	Selandia	Dan.	E.A.Co.
" 28	"	Liverpool etc.	Hirano maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.

FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

Oct 9	4.00	Ningpo	Kiangteen	Chi.	C.M.S.N.Co.
" 9	D.L.	Hongkong & Canton	Sunning	Br	B.& S.
" 10	4.00	Ningpo	Hsin Pekins	Br	B.& S
" 10	4.00	Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	Chi	N.S.S.Co
" 10	A.M.	Foochow	Haean	Chi.	C.M.S.N.Co.
" 12	D.L.	Amoy, H'kong & Canton	Shantung	Br	B.& S.
" 12	7.30*	Hongkong	Yokohama maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
" 14	D.L.	Swatow & Hongkong	Yingchow	Br	B.& S.
" 16	D.L.	Hongkong & Canton	Chenan	Br	B.& S.
" 19	"	Takao via F'chow & K'lung	Keelung maru	Jap.	O.S.K.
" 20	"	Manila & Hongkong	Venezuela	Am.	P.M.S.S.Co.

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

Oct 9	3.00	Weihaiwei, Chefoo & T'tsin	Shuntien	Br.	B.& S
" 9	6.00*	Dalny	Sakaki maru	Jap.	S.M.B.
" 9	noon	Chefoo	Hsinming	Chi.	C.M.S.N.Co
" 14	3.00	Vladivostock	Penza	Rus.	R.V.F.
" 12	10.30*	Tsingtao and Dalny	Kobe maru	Jap	S.M.B.
" 13	10.00*	Weihaiwei, Chefoo & T'tsin	Tungchow	Br.	B.& S.
" 16	3.00	Weihaiwei, Chefoo & T'tsin	Shengking	Br	B.& S.
" 22	"	Tientsin, Dalny & Tsingtao	Kohoku maru	Jap.	O.S.K.

FOR RIVER PORTS

Oct 9	M.N.	Hankow etc.	Loongwo	Br.	J.M.& Co.
" 9	M.N.	do	Chungking	Br.	B.& S.
" 9	M.N.	do	Nanyang maru	Jap.	N.K.K.
" 10	M.N.	do	Poyang	Br	B.& S.
" 10	M.N.	do	Suiyang maru	Jap.	N.K.K.
" 10	M.N.	do	Kiangkwan	Chi.	C.M.S.N.Co.
" 11	M.N.	do	Kiangyu	Chi.	C.M.S.N.Co.
" 11	M.N.	do	Luenho	Br.	J.M.& Co
" 11	M.N.	do	Talee maru	Jap.	N.K.K.
" 11	M.N.	do	Luenyi	Br	B.& S.
" 11	M.N.	do	Suiwo	Br.	J.M.& Co.
" 12	M.N.	do	Fengyang maru	Jap.	N.K.K.
" 13	M.N.	do	Nganking	Br.	B.& S.
" 13	M.N.	do	Tachi maru	Jap.	N.K.K.
" 14	M.N.	do	Kiangyung	Chi.	C.M.S.N.Co

*A.M. M.N.—Midnight. D.L.—Daylight.

Arrivals

Date	From	Ship's Name	Tons	Flag	Agents	Berth
Oct 7	Ningpo	Hsin Peking	2868	Br.	B.& S.	CNCW
" 7	Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	2151	Chi.	N.S.N.Co.	NSCW
" 8	Dalny	Sakaki maru	1346	Jap.	S.M.R.	SMRW
" 8	Foochow	Haean	1839	Chi.	C.M.S.N.Co.	KLYW
" 8	Hankow	Poyang	1892	Br.	B.& S.	CNW
" 8	Hankow	Suiyang maru	1397	Jap	N.K.K.	NYKW
" 8	Hankow	Ningshao	232	Chi.	N.S.Co.	NSW
" 8	Hankow	Kiangkwan	2085	Chi.	C.M.S.N.Co	KLYW
" 8	Japan	Kasuga maru	2387	Jap.	N.Y.K	WSW
" 8	Tientsin	Hsinfung	1290	Chi.	C.M.S.N.Co	KLYW

Departures

Date	For	Ship's Name	Tons	Flag	Agents
Oct 7	Tsingtao	Ksang	1127	Br.	J.M.& Co.
" 7	Tsingtao	Anhui	1355	Br.	B.& S.
" 7	Swatow, Hongkong & Canton	Wosang	1127	Br.	J.M.& Co
" 7	Chinwangtao	Hsinkong	1267	Chi.	C.M.S.N.Co.
" 7	Wakamatsu	Shinyi maru	1334	Jap.	M.S.Co.
" 7	Saigon	Djibouti	2797	Fr.	M.M.Co.
" 7	Chinwangtao	Johanne	951	Am.	S.T.& Co.
" 7	Chinwangtao	Kenkon maru	1687	Jap.	K.M.A.
" 7	Weihaiwei	Dilwara	3460	Br.	P.&O.
" 7		Chuyo maru	491	Jap.	Suzuki & Co.
" 8	Hankow etc.	Sungkiang	1572	Br.	B.& S.
" 8	do	Kiangwah	2101	Chi.	C.M.S.N.Co
" 8	do	Tafoo maru	1756	Jap.	N.K.K.
" 8	Chinwangtao	Kwangping	1244	Br.	E.M.A.
" 8	Ningpo	Hsin Peking	2868	Br.	B.& S.
" 8	Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	2151	Chi.	N.S.N.Co.

Vessels Loading

For River Ports

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Co.'s Str. Nanyang Maru, Captain K. Takeshita, will be despatched from N.Y.K. wharf on Tuesday, October 9, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight and Passage apply to The Nisshin Kisen Kaisha. No. 5 The Bund. Tel. No. 3256.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China Steam Navigation Co.'s Str. Loongwo tons 3,925 Capt. Findelson, will leave on Tuesday, October 9, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to Jardine, Matheson and Co., Ltd., General Managers. Tel. No. 240.

HANKOW and PORTS.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer Chungking, Captain Monkman, will leave on Tuesday, October 9, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to Butterfield and Swire, Agents. Tel. No. 77.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Co.'s Str. Suiyang Maru, Capt. A. E. Inwood, will be despatched from C. M. Central wharf on Wednesday, Oct. 10 at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight and Passage apply to The Nisshin Kisen Kaisha. No. 5 The Bund. Tel. No. 3256.

HANKOW and PORTS.—The Str. Kiangkwan, Captain C. B. Conley, will leave on Wednesday, night. For Freight or Passage apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

HANKOW and PORTS.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer Poyang, Captain Carnaghan, will leave from the French Bund on Wednesday, October 10, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to Butterfield and Swire. Agents, French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

HANKOW and PORTS.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer Luenyi Captain Frazier, will leave from the French Bund on Friday, October 12, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to Butterfield and Swire, Agents. French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

HANKOW and PORTS.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer Ngankin Captain Newcomb, will leave on Saturday, October 13, at about 12 o'clock midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to Butterfield and Swire. Agents, French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

For Southern Ports

HONGKONG and CANTON.—The China Navigation C.'s Steamer Sunning Captain W. L. Jones will leave from the French Bund direct for the above ports on Tuesday, Oct. 9, at daylight. For Freight or Passage apply to Butterfield and Swire, Agents Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

NINGPO.—The China Navigation Co.'s str. Hsin Peking, Capt. A. Scott, R.N.R. will leave from the French Bund on Wednesday, Oct. 10, at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to Butterfield and Swire, Agents, French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

FOOCHOW.—The Str. Haean, Capt. F. H. Wallace, will leave on Wednesday, morning. For Freight or Passage apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

AMOY, HONGKONG and CANTON.—The China Navigation Co.'s Str. Shantung, Capt. Meathrel, will leave from the French Bund direct for the above ports on Friday, October 12, at daylight. For Freight or Passage apply to Butterfield and Swire, Agents. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

SWATOW and HONGKONG.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer Yingchow, Capt. J. Gibbs, will leave from the French Bund direct for the above ports on Sunday, October 14, at daylight. For Freight or Passage apply to Butterfield and Swire, Agents. Freight. Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

HONGKONG and CANTON.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer Chenan, Captain Barkus, will leave from the French Bund direct for the above ports on Tuesday, October 16, at daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to Butterfield and Swire, Agents. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

TAKAO (FORMOSA) via FOOCHOW and KEELUNG.—The Str. Keelung Maru, Capt. T. Kamiashi, will be despatched from the Co.'s Yangtszepoo wharf on October 19. The steam-launch conveying passengers on board will leave the jetty in front of the Nisshin Kisen Kaisha at ——— on the same day. For Freight and Passage, please apply to The Osaka Shosen Kaisha. No. 4, The Bund. Tel. No. 4234 and 4047.

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WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO & TIENTSIN.—The China Navigation Co.'s Str. Tungchow Capt. Bennett, will leave from the French Bund on Saturday, October 13, at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to Butterfield and Swire, Agents. French Bund. Freight Tel No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO & TIENTSIN.—The China Navigation Co.'s Str. Shengking, Capt. McIntosh, will leave from the French Bund on Tuesday, October 16, at 3 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to Butterfield and Swire Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

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OMI MARU	7,000	Capt. M. Machida,	Oct. 20
YAMASHIRO MARU ...	7,000	Capt. K. Sudzuki,	Oct. 23
CHIKUGO MARU	5,500	Capt. Y. Yui,	Oct. 26

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2088	835	300	0	dep. Peking arr.	22301	1960	1080
2345	1113	535	. .	arr. Tientsin-Central dep.	1985	1700	730
2380	1137	640	84	dep Tientsin-Central arr.	1930	1653	710
000	1138	630	. .	arr. Tientsin-East dep.	1920	1648	700
1910	530	2340	524	arr. Mukden dep.	2301	. .	1040

Local 5.	Mail 3. B. s.			Tientsin-Pukow Line		Mail 4. B. s.	Local 6.
715	1130	—	0	dep. Tientsin-East arr.	—	1705	1612
735	1140	—	2.71	arr. Tientsin-Central dep.	—	1655	1602
745	1200	—		dep. Tientsin-Central arr.	—	1631	1547
1132	1500	—	78	dep. Tsangchow dep.	—	1332	1221
1457	1746	—	148	dep. Tochow dep.	—	1043	928
1801	2021	—	—	arr. Tsinanfu dep.	—	806	640
7.	:	—	220	:	—	:	8.
800	2051	—	—	dep. Tsinanfu arr.	—	756	1812
1049	2231	—	266	dep. Taianfu dep.	—	601	1542
1300	000	—		arr. Yanchowfu dep.	—	349	1311
1315	043	—	318	dep. Yanchowfu arr.	—	339	1256
1554	316	—	377	dep. Lincheng dep.	—	130	1032
1818	450	—	—	arr. Hsuchowfu dep.	—	2336	810
9.	:	—	420	:	—	:	10.
630	457	—	—	dep. Hsuchowfu arr.	—	2329	2007
1156	838	—		arr. Pengpu dep.	—	1953	1442
1200	840	—	523	dep. Pengpu arr.	—	1946	1432
1657	1132	—	600	dep. Chuchow dep.	—	1648	928
1843	1300	—	631	arr. Pukow dep.	—	1530	722

Express 16. B. S.	Express 10. B.			Shanghai-Nanking Line		Express 1. B.	Express 15. B. S.
. .	1430	. .	0	dep. Nanking-Ferry arr.	. .	1410	:
2300	1436	. .	. .	dep. Nanking arr.	. .	1415	630
700	2130	. .	193	arr. Shanghai-North dep.	. .	755	2300

Yanchowfu-Tsiningchow Branch Line				Lincheng-Tsochuang Branch Line			
930	1350	2120	d. Yanchowfu a.	630	1120	2000	d. Lincheng a.
1032	1455	2230	a. Tsiningchow d.	528	1126	1846	a. Tsochuang d.

630	1110	1800	d. Lincheng a.	810	1410	2100	630	1110	1800
528	1219	1906	a. Tsochuang d.	708	1302	1958	528	1219	1906

The station for the foreign concessions in Tientsin is "TIENTSIN-EAST"

Conventional Signs.

500 | — train runs on Thursday only. 230 | — train runs on Fridays only.

| 300 — on trains marked thus passengers must hold additional place tickets.

B — train has buffet car with regular meal service

5 — train has sleep. accomm. 1st & 2nd class. 6 — train has only 1st class sleep. accomm

Application for sleeping accommodation at $5.00 per berth should, at the earliest possible moment, be made to the Traffic Manager at Tientsin, or to the Traffic-Inspectors at Tientsin, Tsinanfu, Hsuchowfu or Pukow.

By Order.

THE TRAFFIC MANAGER.

Tientsin, July 1917.

Large Display Advertisements
intended for the Sunday issue of The China Press
should be sent in before **5 p.m. on Friday.**

New Cantonese Church Celebrates Opening

"Right to the minute" was the verdict that Consul-General Thomas Sammons pronounced upon the program of the dedication of the Fulton Hall, in memory of the late Mrs. August Fulton, at the Cantonese Union Church on North Szechuen Road last night before a large audience.

"I feel much impressed with the great progress of China. This seems very much like home to me and I am sure many Americans will go many miles to enjoy such remarks, songs and music as those given tonight," said the Consul-General.

The main dedication speech was delivered by Mr. S. K. Tsao, General Secretary of the Chinese Y. M. C. A.

Mrs. H. C. Mei rendered a vocal solo entitled the "Song of Triumph" and Miss Alice Sun played Debussy's "Clair de Lune" on the piano. Violin solos were given by Mr. Mah, assisted by Mr. David Eu of St. John's University.

The invocation was made by the Rev. Dr. D. Willard Lyon, while the Rev. Dr. George F. Fitch performed the benediction rites.

The dedication of the church itself took place Sunday, when, with the guests waiting outside the new edifice, Dr. Mary Chang presented a key to the Pastor, the Rev. Fong Lau-chun, who opened the door and admitted the large number of people.

SIR G. RADFORD, M.P., DEAD

Reuter's Service

London, October 7.—The death is announced of Sir George Radford, Liberal M. P. for East Islington.

Opium Case Puzzle In Nationalities

Questions Of Citizenship And White List Arise In British Supreme Court

Several interesting complications arose in the British Supreme Court yesterday when the Banque Belge pour l'Etranger started an action against Messrs. H. Neotia and Co. before Sir Havilland de Sausmarez, Judge. The claim was for four chests of old Patna opium mortgaged in July, 1914, by N. S. Levy with the plaintiffs for Tls. 41,568. The opium was stored in defendants' godown and delivery had been refused.

After pleadings had been requested by Mr. N. C. Home, appearing for Mr. Levy, Mr. D. McNeill, for the defendants, handed in a trade license showing Mr. Levy to be an Ottoman subject. Sir Havilland stated that the clerk of the court was informed Mr. Levy was a British subject. It was then shown that Mr. Levy is at present under French protection. Mr. Home was requested to file an additional submission.

Mr. McNeill then produced a copy of the London Gazette, or White List, and pointed out that Mr. Levy's name did not appear therein. This, he said, bore seriously on the case of the Banque, which claimed as mortgagees through a subject not on the White List. The case was adjourned one week.

Sailed from Shanghai

For London, etc.
Iyo Maru .....Sept. 24
For Liverpool
Hitachi Maru .....Sept. 5
For New York
Suruga .....Aug. 3
Toyooka maru .....Aug. 10
For San Francisco, etc.
Ecuador .....Sept. 17
H. Luckenback .....Aug. 28
Korea Maru .....Oct. 8
Oranje .....Sept. 18
For Tacoma
Hawaii Maru .....Oct. 1
Mexico Maru .....Sept. 20
For Seattle
Shidzuoka Maru .....Sept. 17
For Vancouver
Bessie Dollar .....Sept. 17
Hazel Dollar .....Sept 3

Siccawei Weather Report

7.—Very fine weather in our regions. Northerly winds along the whole coast, reaching the force of a gale at Formosa and in the Channel. The typhoon of the Philippines is recurving Northward and N.E. wards along the Eastern Coast of Luzon.

8.—Very fine weather. The barometers have slightly risen.

Monday, October 8, 1917.

WEATHER	4 a.m.	9 a.m
Bar. at Centg., mm...	763.87	763.87
Bar. at Centg., inches.	30.07	30.07
Variation mm for 24h	†0.09	−1.30
Variation mm for 12h	†0.59	−1.09
Wind—Direction	NNW	NNE
Wind—Kilom per hour	14	28
Wind—Miles	8.7	17.4
Temperature—Gen ...	13°7	19°7
Temperature—Fah ...	56.7	67.5
Humidty: co	90	54
Nebulosity 5-10	7	4
Rainfall mm	—	—
Rainfall inches	—	—

THE CHINA PRESS MAIL SCHEDULE

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 9, 1917

Date and Destination	Per	Chi.	Br.	USA	Rus.	Jap.	Reg.
Today							
Weihaiwei, Chefoo & Tientsin	Shuntien	13.30	13.30	.	.	..	13.00
Europe via Siberia (Express)	†Via Pukow		7.00	..	..	..	.
Swatow and Hongkong		..	17.00	..	..	..	..
River Ports	Loongwo	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Tsingtao, Manchuria & Dalny	Sakaki maru	9.00	..	..	..	..	18 3/
Swatow, Hongkong & Canton	Wosang	21.00	..	..	16.3	17.0	21.00
Weihaiwei, Chefoo & Tientsin	Kingsing	21.00	17.00	..	17.0	.	21.00
Chefoo	Hsinming	10.30	..			.	10.00
Foochow	Haean	21.00	17.0	..	16.30	17.00	21.00
Peking and Tsin (every day	Train				17.1		17.00
Tsin (Daily except Sunday)		..	17.00	..			..
Hankow		.	17.00				..
Ningpo	Kiangteen	..	15.00	..	..	..	..
Tomorrow							
Europe via Siberia	Via Pukow	a21.00	..	.	18.00		17.30
Japan via Moji	Kasuga maru		..	..	.	c20.00	19.30
Japan Ports	Kasuga maru	18.00	..	..	..		17.0
Amoy and Hongkong			17.00		..		..
Japan			17.00	.			..
River Ports	Poyang	21.00	.	..		..	21.00
River Ports	Kiangkwan	21.00		..	..	..	21.00
Thursday, Oct. 11.							
River Ports	K'angyu	21.00		..	..	..	21.0
Epe via Siberia (P. Train)	†Via Pukow		7.00	..	..	..	17(10,
Amoy, Hongkong and Canton	Shantung	21.00		..	16.30	17.00	21.00
Friday, Oct. 12.							
Japan and U.S.A. via Moji ..	Inaba maru		..	..	..	c16.00	15.30
J. Fran. v. Japan, C'da & E'pe	Inaba maru	15.00	..	..		..	14.30
Japan Ports	Hanasaki m.	18.00	..	..	..	.	17.0
Japan Ports	Yawata maru	18.0	..	..	..	..	1 .00
Japan ports	Penza	12.00	..	..	..	..	11.30
S'saki, Kobe, Yokosama, Canada, U.S.A. and Europe..		..	15.30	..	..	..	15.00
Saturday, Oct. 13.							
Swatow and Hongkong .. .		..	17.00	..	.	..	..
Monday, Oct. 15.							
Europe via Siberia	Via Pukow	a21.00	..	..	..	..	..
Tuesday, Oct. 16.							
Japan via Nagasaki	Hakuai maru	..	..	..	..	a10.00	9.30

†Letters forwarded by this route only when specially marked.

A Registration 8.30 a.m. Supplementary mails closed at 7 a.m. following day.

C Letters and boxes with declared value 3.30 p.m. Parcel post and money orders 3 p.m.

E Letters and boxes with declared value 9.30 a.m. Parcel post and money orders 9 a.m.

I Letters and boxes with declared value 7.30 p.m. Parcel post 4 p.m. and money orders 3 p.m.

Until further notice, mails for Europe, via Pukow and Siberia, will be closed at the Chinese Post Office as follows: Monday, Wednesday and Saturday at 9 p.m. Registered mails are closed half an hour earlier. A supplementary mail of ordinary correspondence only will be closed on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 7 a.m.

Mails for Hankow close every day at 11.30 a.m. Registration at 11.30 a.m. and for Peking and Tientsin every day at 9 a.m. Registration at 5 p.m. at the Russian post office.

Passengers Arrived

Per C.M. s.s. Haean from Foochow:—Mr. L. Lordon, Mr. and Mrs. T. Moorehead.

Per C.N. s.s. Poyang from Hankow:—Mrs. Wade, Mrs. Blanco, Messrs. Dadmun, Fanstand, and Moore, Mr. and Mrs. McKeaner.

Per I.-C. s.s. Loongwo from Hankow:—Miss Dunston, Mr. A. C. Marker, and Mr. V. Rugebil.

Per K.M.A. s.s. Kwangping from Chinwangtao:—Mrs. Waggott, Mrs. Raven and 4 children, Mrs. Espey and 2 children, Mrs. F. Ferrier and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Sites and son.

Per N.S. s.s. Hsin Ningshao from Ningpo:—Messrs. S. Sargent, and C. H. Tricker.

Per C.N. s.s. Shuntien from Tientsin:—Mr. and Mrs. Vine, Mrs. Gamewell, Mrs. Macleod and two children, Messrs. Baukham, Platt, and Wyther. From Chefoo:—Mr. and Mrs. Bon. Mrs. Ramsay and child. From Weihaiwei:—Mrs. Little and child, Mrs. Lambert and two children, Mrs. Sleap and 2 children, Mrs. Masters and two children, and Mr. Lambert.

Per N.Y.K. s.s. Kasuga Maru from Japan:—Messrs. F. Taniguchi, M. S. Matsumura, K. Ouchi, Y. Sugawara, I. Miyawaki, G. Tomon, I. Kusuyama, S. Sawada, I. Iwac, K. Kurokawa, M. Morigachi, Y. Kakuda S. Yasuda, K. Fujimoto, K. Kadota, Y. Sudzuki, and Miss Y. Taka, Mr. and Mrs. C. Anderson, Mrs. H. Franche, Mrs. H. A. Stewart and children, Mr. L. Amidani, Mrs. L. Amidani and child, Mr. J. C. Wooden, Mr. and Mrs. Kilgo, Miss E. Donke, and Miss M. Bailey.

Per N.Y.K. s.s. Chikuzen Maru from Japan:—Mr. P. William, Mr. G. H. Lachlan, Mrs. G. Chandler, Master H. E. Chandler, Miss M. Withington, Mr. P. L. Bojesen, Mr. W. Brewsser, Mrs. G. Patterson, Mrs. S. Moosa, Miss E. N. Warrall, Mr. I. Watson, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Ales and child, Mr. J. A. Hayes, Mr. A. McIwan, Miss A. McIwan, Mr. W. A. Price, Miss H. A. Thomas, Mr. L. E. N. Ryan, and Mr. W. I. Shimonaieff, Mr. T. Sasaki, and Mr. R. Ushikawa.

Per S.M.R. s.s. Sakaki Maru from Dalny:—Mr. and Mrs. H. H. H. Priestley and child, Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Whitham, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. L. Bowley and 2 children, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Burns, Mr. and Mrs. Anlurt, Mr. and Mrs. Michaniloff and child, Mr. and Mrs. P. Bazdon, Mrs. Brock and baby, Mrs. L. Ashton and baby, Mrs. E. S. Pather, Mrs. I. C. Merriman, Mr. Conrau, Messrs. F. Staley, P. M. Scott, Wm. Booth, H. Hanno, C. T. Schack, C. C. Goodfellow, H. Matsuwura, Y. Shimamura, M. Greenfield, F. Thomas, P. E. Grosse, S. Q. Jastrezambsty, and M. Shimansky. From Tsingtao:—Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Sovensen, Mrs. S. S. Shen and 3 children, Mrs. D. E. Donnelly and 4 children, Mrs. V. Chawez, Miss C. Cole, Messrs. T. Yamamuro, O. Murai, Rev. W. M. Hayes, Edmund, T. Herlihy, and Y. Kurata, and Mrs. Edmund.

Passengers Departed

Per N.Y.K. s.s. Chikugo Maru for Japan:—Mr. J. Stewart, Mr. W. Robertson, Mr. W. Jones, Misses M. J. Jones, Messrs. M. Tauno, S. Tominaga, O. Takeuchi Mr. and Mrs. Yokotake, Mr. Y. Asano, Mr. M. Miyoshi, and Mr. N. Dorizon.

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SHANGHAI-NANKING RAILWAY ABRIDGED TIME TABLE.

Shanghai North To Nanking—Up (Main Line) **Nanking To Shanghai North—Down**

STATIONS.	Local	Express R	Fast R	3rd and 4th	Fast R	Local	Fast Local	Night Express R.S.	STATIONS.	Local	Fast Local	Fast R	3rd and 4th	Fast	Express	Local	Night Express R.S.
SHANGHAI NORTH....dep.	..	7.55	9.10	9.40	12.45	15.25	16.55	23.00	PEKING.....dep.	..	..	..	..	P.M.T.	8.25	..	
SOOCHOW ....dep.	..	9.41	11.22	12.30	14.55	18.15	19.18	1.08	TIENTSIN.....arr.	..	..	..	..		11.10	..	
WUSIH .....dep.	..	10.31	12.04	13.41	15.54	19.27	20.20	2.10	CENTRAL.....dep	..	..	..	..	T. P. E.	8.12.00	..	
CHANGCHOW dep.	6.50	11.22	13.18	15.08	16.48	..	21.25	3.10	TSINANFU....dep.	..	..	..	..	Second Day	20.01	..	
TANYANG....dep.	8.05	12.09	14.11	16.16	17.41	..	..	..	PUKOW .....arr.	..	..	..	..		18.00	..	
CHINKIANG...dep.	9.10	12.52	14.55	17.17	18.23	..	..	5.06	NANKING.....dep.	7.30	8.05	11.45		*14.20	18.25	22.00	
NANKING.....arr.	11.10	*14.15	16.26	19.18	19.50	..	..	6.50	CHINKIANG....dep.	..	9.00	13.20		16.06	19.16	..	
PUKOW .....dep.	T.P.E.	3.15.30	..	..	..	..	..	..	TANYANG....dep.	..	9.36	13.59		16.43	19.53	..	
TSINANFU ....dep.	Second Day	8.06	..	..	..	..	..	..	CHANGCHOW dep.	7.00	..	10.34		13.19	17.09	20.20	
TIENTSIN .....arr.		16.31	..	..	..	..	..	..	WUSIH .....dep.	8.15	7.10	11.28		14.04	18.29	..	
CENTRAL.....dep.	P.M.E.	17.00	..	..	..	..	..	..	SOOCHOW ....dep.	9.35	8.11	12.23		14.54	17.01	19.21	..
PEKING .....arr.		19.50	..	..	..	..	..	..	SHANGHAI NORTH....arr.	12.15	10.16	14.20		17.20	19.58	21.00	..

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Woosung Forts to Shanghai North—Up (Branch Line) **Shanghai North to Woosung Forts—Down**

WOOSUNG FORTS ..dep.	6.55	8.15	10.45	13.10	14.40	16.20	18.10	19.55	22.10	SHANGHAI NORTH dep.	6.15	7.35	10.05	12.15	14.00	15.30	17.22	19.15	21.00
KIANGWAN dep.	7.22	8.42	11.12	13.37	16.07	16.47	18.37	20.22	22.37	KIANGWAN dep	6.28	7.48	10.18	12.30	14.13	15.41	17.36	19	21
SHANGHAI NORTH .. arr.	7.30	8.50	11.20	13.45	16.15	16.55	18.45	20.30	22.45	WOOSUNG FORTS..arr.	6.50	8.10	10 40	12.50	14.35	16.05	18.00	19	21

SHANGHAI-HANGCHOW-NINGPO RAILWAY ABRIDGED TIME TABLE

SHANGHAI NORTH TO ZAHKOU—"DOWN" MAIN LINE. ZAHKOU TO SHANGHAI NORTH—"UP"

STATIONS	Local	Fast R	Slow	Coolie & Goods	Local	Express R	Local	Local	Local	STATIONS	Local	Local	Local	Fast E	Slow	Local	Coolie and Goods	Express R	Local
Shanghai North.....dep.	....	7.35	9.00	10.00	....	14.50	....	....	....	Zahkou .....dep.	....	....	....	6.30	7.55	....	9.20	14.10	18.30
Jessfield .....dep.	....	7.51	9.16	10.20	....	15.06	....	....	....	Hangchow.....dep.	....	....	....	7 00	8.30	....	10.00	14.35	16.00
Siccawei .....dep.	....	7.58	9.23	10.29	....	15 13	....	....	....	Changan .....dep.	...	...	....	8.04	9.48	...	11.40	15.20	17.30
Lunghwa Junction.....dep.	....	8.15	9 40	10.47	....	15.30	....	....	....	Yokzah .....dep.	....	...	....	8.41	10.31	....	12 39	15.51	18.00
										Kashing .....dep.	...	....	7.15	9.28	11.22	....	14.10	16.30	19.30
Shanghai South.....dep.	....	*7.45*	*9.10*	*10.15*	*13.35*	*15.00*	*16.00*	*16.50*	*17.55*	Kashai .....dep.	....	....	7.48	9.53	11.55	....	14.48	16.52	...
Lunghwa Junction.....dep.	....	*8.15*	*9.40*	*10.47*	*13.52*	*15.30*	*16.22*	*17.07*	*18.12*	Sunglaing .....dep.	....	....	9.05	10.47	12.59	....	16.08	17.40	...
Sunglaing .....dep.	....	8.59	10.48	12.02	....	16 07	17.42	....	....	*Lunghwa Junction.....dep.*	*8.18*	*9.43*	*10.23*	*11.38*	*14.08*	*15.33*	*17.23*	*18.23*	...
Kashai .....dep.	....	9.51	11.52	13.28	....	16.53	18 49	....	....	*Shanghai South.....arr.*	*8.35*	*10.00*	*10.45*	*11.55*	*14.25*	*15.50*	*17.40*	*18.40*	....
Kashing .....dep.	7.40	10.25	12.30	14.35	....	17.22	19.20	....	....										
Yokzah .....dep.	8.45	11.05	13.15	15.50	....	17.53	....	....	....	Lunghwa Junction.....dep.	....	....	....	11.38	14.08	....	17.18	18.30	...
Changan.....dep.	9.45	11.41	14.00	16.50	....	18 24	....	....	....	Siccawei .....dep.	....	....	....	11.44	14.14	....	17.28	18.39	....
Hangchow.....dep.	11.10	12.50	15.25	18.30	....	19.19	....	....	....	Jessfield .....dep	....	....	....	11.51	14.21	....	17.37	18.36	....
Zahkou.....arr.	11.35	13.10	15.50	19.00	....	19.35	....	....	....	Shanghai North .....arr.	....	....	....	12.05	14.35	....	17.55	18.50	....

KONZEN CHIAO TO ZAHKOU KIANGSHOO BRANCH LINE. ZAHKOU TO KONZEN CHIAO

Konzen Chiao...	dep.	6.50	8.25	11.25	14.00	15.55	18.35	Zahkou.....	dep.	....	10.10	12.25	....	17.20	...
Ken Shang Mun.	dep.	7.10	8.50	11.40	14.15	16.15	18.50	Hangchow.....	dep.	7.30	10.40	12 45	14.55	17.50	19 15
Hangchow.....	dep.	7.20	9.15	11.52	14.24	16.30	19.00	Ken Shang Mun.	dep.	7.42	10.57	12.57	15.12	18.07	19.37
Zahkou.....	arr.	....	9.40	12.10	....	16.55	....	Konzen Chiao...	arr.	7.55	11.10	13.10	15.25	18.20	19.40

R. Restaurant Car.

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TIENTSIN-PUKOW RAILWAY ADMINISTRATION

SPECIAL NOTIFICATION.

WE have read in various newspapers about the sinking of our ferry steamer "Fei Hung" in connection with which many rumors have been current without foundation. We hereby beg to explain, for public information, the actual circumstances under which the steamer sunk, as follows: On the 3rd instant, the "Fei Hung," which carried passengers from our No. 3 express, left Pukow at 3.50 p.m., and arrived at Shiakwan jetty at 4.05 p.m. After discharging local passengers and luggage there, she continued her voyage towards the S.N.R. jetty at Mei Tan Kong with through passengers on board same, viz., one in 1st class, two in 2nd class and 10 in 3rd class including two women. While nearing her destination, passing the bow of a river gunboat, the "Chiu Yue," lying at anchor near by, the "Fei Hung" with a view to avoiding a rice boat ahead hurriedly changed her course. The current of the tide then was very strong, so much so that she collided with the gunboat. To make matters worse, her propeller caught hold of the other boat's cable. The engine room and the propeller were all damaged by the collision, with the result that the stern of the boat listed heavily and water rushed in at once. However, by the force of the current, our boat was pushed alongside the "Chiu Yue." This gave an opportunity to all passengers to board the latter in time before the former sunk. Only one 3rd class passenger fell into the water and was immediately picked up by a sampan. All passengers and mail coolies landed with safety afterwards and so did our staff on board same. The lowdah and sailors of the "Fei Hung," six in all, were also rescued from the water, therefore so far as we know, no loss of any life has ever been found or reported in this accident for which we express our deepest regret.

THE TIENTSIN-PUKOW RAILWAY ADMINISTRATION.

Tientsin, 6th October, 1917.

15425

Shanghai Fire Brigades S.F.B. and F.F.B.

The Annual Shield Competition and Sports will be held on the Race Course on Saturday, 13th October, 1917, commencing at 2 p.m. sharp.

The sports will comprise mixed Dressing Race, etc., etc., terminating with a House on Fire Scene by the Mud Town, Shanghai and French Brigades at 6 p.m.

A voluntary charge of $1.00 will be made to the ground.

The entire proceeds will be donated to the Shanghai Wounded Fund.

15427

LOST

A Bank draft, No. 84, for $15,300.00, due on the 20th day of the 8th moon, issued by Messrs. Chin Yuen (鎮源), at Hwai-An, for Mr. Zar Hsiang-chien, of Tsen Dai Salt Grocery Shop, Shanghai (上海振大海味行謝湘泉), payable to Mr. Yoh Kwang-yu (岳光宇), has been lost on the way.

The public are hereby warned against negotiating or accepting the said draft, as same has been cancelled.

This advertisement also appears in Sin Shen Pao.

YOH KWANG-YU,
Residing in Shanghai.

Shanghai, 8th October, 1917.

15434

CHINESE POST OFFICE

NOTIFICATION No. 312

NATIONAL HOLIDAY.

On 10th October, 1917—the National Holiday—this Office will be open during the hours from 9 to 10, 11 to 16 and 20 to 21.

The Parcel and Money Order Offices will be closed the whole day.

C. ROUSSE,
Postal Commissioner.

Chinese Post Office,
Shanghai, 8th October, 1917.

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Lyceum Theatre

Friday, Oct. 12th

Saturday, Oct. 13th

TWO NIGHTS ONLY

THE

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Comedy Concert Co

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CUSTOMS NOTIFICATION.

No. 885.

Notice is hereby given that the Custom House will be closed and the shipment and delivery of cargo suspended on Wednesday, the 10th October, the day fixed by the Government as a National Festival.

R. H. R. WADE,
Commissioner of Customs.

CUSTOM HOUSE,
Shanghai, 5th October, 1917.

15417

Tientsin-Pukow Railway Administration

Notification No. 264.

OWING to interruption of the Line between Techow and Hwang Ho Ya by flood, commencing from 1st October until further notice, our mail trains will be run and ordinary tickets be issued to and from Pukow and Hwang Ho Ya only and our local trains to and from Liang Wang Chuang and Techow only. The public will be duly notified as soon as arrangements for transhipment of passengers between Techow and Hwang Ho Ya and Tientsin and Liang Wang Chuang are made.

By Order,
THE TRAFFIC MANAGER.

Tientsin, 1st October, 1917.

15352

International Recreation Club

KIANGWAN RACES

10th October, 1917

1st Saddling Bell at 11.30 a.m.

Tiffin Interval after 3rd Race.

SPECIAL TRAINS: 11.00 a.m., 11.35 a.m., 1.00 p.m. and 1.25 p.m.

ENTRANCE TICKETS: $1.00 each.

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By order,
Y. J. CHANG,
Secretary.

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Shanghai Race Club

Autumn Meeting, 1917.

The entries for the Autumn Race Meeting will close at the Grand Stand, at 4 p.m., on Saturday, 13th October, 1917.

Members leaving Entries at the Grand Stand are requested to deposit them in the Box in the Secretary's Office labelled: "Entries for the Shanghai Races."

By Order of the Stewards,
A. W. OLSEN,
Secretary, Shanghai Race Club.

15415

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The transfer books of the Company will be closed from Oct. 5th to Oct. 11th, both days inclusive.

By Order,
CHINA REALTY CO., LTD.,
Secretaries & General Managers.

Shanghai, Sept. 26th, 1917.

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15435 O.11.

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15432 O.12.

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15404 O.8.

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15400 O.11.

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